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IN THIS THIRD EDITION, AN EFFORT IS MADE TO CONDENSE OR ELIMINATE THE LESS TIMELY DATA, TO ADD NEW TABLES OF CURRENT INTEREST, AND TO BRING UP TO DATE THE CONTINUING HISTORICAL SERIES. STATISTICS ARE FOR THE MOST RECENT YEAR OR PERIOD AVAILABLE IN MARCH 1978.

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ITEM	1972 1/	1973 1/	1974 1/	1975 2/	1976 2/	1977 2/
TOTAL LABOR AND PROPRIETORS INCOME BY PLACE OF WORK 3/						
BY TYPE						
WAGE AND SALARY DISBURSEMENTS	27,839	29,242	33,388	35,719	33,918	33,203
OTHER LABOR INCOME	1,234	1,401	1,777	2,241	2,399	2,495
PROPRIETORS INCOME 4/	16,653	33,766	14,488	14,704	11,878	6,998
FARM	11,428	27,197	8,265	8,312	4,862	-1,171
NON-FARM 4/	5,225	6,569	6,223	6,392	7,016	8,169
BY INDUSTRY						
FARM	12,920	28,981	10,486	10,335	6,628	411
NON-FARM	32,806	35,428	39,167	42,329	41,567	42,285
PRIVATE	23,423	25,931	29,200	31,038	31,488	30,792
AG., SERV., FOR., FISH., AND OTHER 5/	320	475	176	199	176	259
MINING	(L)	(L)	254	140	140	213
CONSTRUCTION	3,665	4,048	5,844	5,988	5,349	6,230
MANUFACTURING	3,985	1,900	1,733	1,428	1,292	1,193
NON-DURABLE GOODS	245	265	308	966	886	731
DURABLE GOODS	3,740	1,635	1,425	462	406	462
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	3,220	3,820	4,046	4,378	5,101	5,509
WHOLESALE TRADE	889	1,033	1,463	2,239	2,406	2,477
RETAIL TRADE	4,980	5,922	5,885	5,954	6,151	6,302
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES	1,160	1,224	1,091	1,212	1,399	1,544
GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES	5,218	7,726	8,707	9,625	9,451	7,062
FEDERAL, CIVILIAN	9,363	9,497	9,967	11,291	10,079	11,493
FEDERAL, MILITARY	4,000	3,169	3,210	3,717	2,784	3,617
STATE AND LOCAL	1,782	2,138	2,157	2,328	1,418	1,351
	3,601	4,190	4,600	5,246	5,877	6,525
DERIVATION OF PERSONAL INCOME BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE						
TOTAL LABOR AND PROPRIETORS INCOME BY PLACE OF WORK	45,726	64,409	49,693	52,664	48,195	42,696
LESS: PERSONAL CONTRIBUTIONS FOR SOCIAL INSURANCE BY PLACE OF WORK	1,920	2,237	2,530	2,858	2,750	2,766
NET LABOR AND PROPRIETORS INCOME BY PLACE OF WORK	43,806	62,172	47,123	49,806	45,445	39,930
PLUS: RESIDENCE ADJUSTMENT	-63	-16	-18	152	141	153
NET LABOR AND PROPRIETORS INCOME BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE	43,743	62,156	47,105	49,958	45,586	40,083
PLUS: DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT 7/	5,009	6,009	8,213	9,803	9,665	10,844
PLUS: TRANSFER PAYMENTS	5,356	6,051	6,737	8,071	9,249	10,302
PERSONAL INCOME BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE	54,108	74,216	62,055	67,832	64,500	61,229
PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME (DOLLARS)	4,340	5,678	4,750	5,155	4,905	4,861
TOTAL POPULATION (THOUSANDS)	12.5	13.1	13.1	13.2	13.2	12.6

1/ ESTIMATES BASED ON 1967 SIC.

2/ ESTIMATES BASED ON 1972 SIC.

3/ CONSISTS OF WAGE AND SALARY DISBURSEMENTS, OTHER LABOR INCOME, AND PROPRIETORS' INCOME. PRIMARY SOURCE FOR PRIVATE NON-FARM WAGES: ES-202 COVERED WAGES - MONTANA EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION.

4/ INCLUDES THE CAPITAL CONSUMPTION ADJUSTMENT FOR NON-FARM PROPRIETORS.

5/ INCLUDES WAGE AND SALARIES OF U.S. RESIDENTS WORKING FOR INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS.

7/ INCLUDES THE CAPITAL CONSUMPTION ADJUSTMENT FOR RENTAL INCOME OF PERSONS.

(L) LESS THAN \$50,000; DATA ARE INCLUDED IN TOTALS.

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EMPLOYMENT BY TYPE AND BROAD INDUSTRIAL SOURCES 1972-77

(FULL- AND PART-TIME)

ITEM	1972 1/	1973 1/	1974 1/	1975 2/	1976 2/	1977 2/
EMPLOYMENT BY PLACE OF WORK						
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT 3/	5,528	5,559	5,756	5,506	5,234	5,009
NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS	1,220	1,228	1,240	1,225	1,214	1,224
FARM PROPRIETORS	827	823	816	803	786	773
NONFARM PROPRIETORS	393	405	424	422	428	451
TOTAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT	4,308	4,331	4,516	4,281	4,020	3,785
FARM	291	300	337	285	259	220
NON-FARM	4,017	4,031	4,179	3,996	3,761	3,565
PRIVATE	2,729	2,744	2,890	2,704	2,578	2,372
AG, SERV., FOR., FISH., AND OTHER 4/	38	38	21	30	34	41
MINING	0	0	(L)	0	0	(L)
CONSTRUCTION	222	198	315	291	214	205
MANUFACTURING	560	338	216	156	146	126
NON-DURABLE GOODS	33	36	35	121	113	91
DURABLE GOODS	527	302	181	35	33	35
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	300	321	319	313	323	323
WHOLESALE TRADE	81	88	119	177	176	215
RETAIL TRADE	743	773	786	732	757	736
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	113	116	107	108	111	110
SERVICES	672	687	998	897	817	613
GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES	1,288	1,282	1,289	1,292	1,183	1,193
FEDERAL, CIVILIAN	366	282	270	265	239	239
FEDERAL, MILITARY	287	312	301	296	203	188
STATE AND LOCAL	635	693	718	731	745	766

1/ ESTIMATES BASED ON 67 SIC.

2/ ESTIMATES BASED ON 72 SIC.

3/ CONSISTS OF WAGE AND SALARY JOBS PLUS NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS.

4/ INCLUDES NUMBER OF JOBS HELD BY U.S. RESIDENTS WORKING FOR INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS.

PRIMARY SOURCE FOR PRIVATE NON-FARM EMPLOYMENT; ES-202 COVERED WAGES - MONTANA EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMM.

(L) LESS THAN 10 WAGE AND SALARY JOBS.

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COUNTY PROFILES - VALLEY COUNTY
SECTION 01: POPULATION

- TABLE 1.1 -
COMPONENTS OF POPULATION CHANGE: 1960 TO 1970

POPULATION		CHANGE		COMPONENTS OF CHANGE (ESTIMATES)			
1960	1970	NUMBER	PERCENT	BIRTHS	DEATHS	*NET MIGRATION NUMBER	PERCENT
17,080	11,471	-5,609	-32.8	5,262	1,199	-9,672	-56.6

- TABLE 1.2 -
POPULATION BY URBAN AND RURAL RESIDENCE: 1960 AND 1970

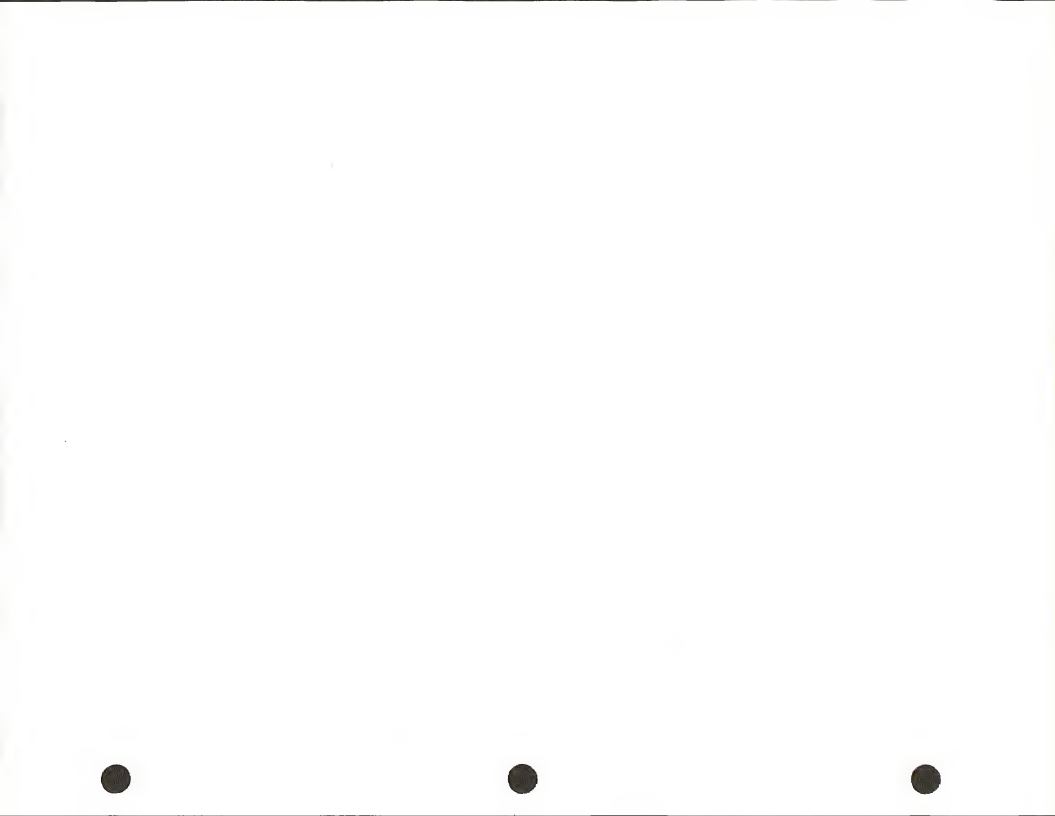
RESIDENCE	1960		1970		PERCENT CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	
POPULATION	17,080	100.0	11,471	100.0	-32.8
URBAN	6,398	37.5	4,700	41.0	-26.5
RURAL	10,682	62.5	6,771	59.0	-36.6
PLACES 1000 TO 2500	0	0.0	0	0.0	
OTHER RURAL	10,682	62.5	6,771	59.0	-36.6

- TABLE 1.3 -
POPULATION BY RACE: 1960 AND 1970

RACE	1960		1970		PERCENT CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	
POPULATION	17,080	100.0	11,471	100.0	-32.8
WHITE	16,246	95.1	10,458	91.2	-35.6
NON-WHITE	834	4.9	1,013	8.8	21.5
INDIAN	606	3.5	972	8.5	60.4
OTHER	228	1.3	41	0.4	-82.0

*NET MIGRATION = NET CHANGE - BIRTHS + DEATHS

SOURCE: TABLE 1.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION & HOUSING: 1970, PHC(2)-28 MONTANA.
TABLE 1.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA
TABLE 1.3 IB1D



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SECTION 01: POPULATION

- TABLE 1.4 -
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX: 1960 AND 1970

AGE/SEX GROUP	1960		1970		PERCENT CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	
TOTAL, ALL AGES	17,080	100.0	11,471	100.0	-32.8
UNDER 5	2,684	15.7	1,051	9.2	-60.8
5 - 17	4,360	25.5	3,606	31.4	-17.3
18 - 59	8,525	49.9	5,402	47.1	-36.6
60 - 64	400	2.3	416	3.6	4.0
65 AND OVER	1,111	6.5	996	8.7	-10.4
5 YEARS OLD	462	2.7	245	2.1	-47.0
18 YEARS OLD	211	1.2	204	1.8	-3.3
MEDIAN AGE	23.4		25.5		9.0
MALE, ALL AGES	9,133	100.0	5,852	100.0	-35.9
UNDER 5	1,333	14.6	557	9.5	-58.2
5 - 17	2,223	24.3	1,874	32.0	-15.7
18 - 59	4,731	51.8	2,680	45.8	-43.4
60 - 64	219	2.4	224	3.8	2.3
65 AND OVER	627	6.9	517	8.8	-17.5
5 YEARS OLD	241	2.6	131	2.2	-45.6
18 YEARS OLD	106	1.2	101	1.7	-4.7
MEDIAN AGE	24.3		25.2		3.7
FEMALE, ALL AGES	7,947	100.0	5,619	100.0	-29.3
UNDER 5	1,351	17.0	494	8.8	-63.4
5 - 17	2,137	26.9	1,732	30.8	-19.0
18 - 59	3,794	47.7	2,722	48.4	-28.3
60 - 64	181	2.3	192	3.4	6.1
65 AND OVER	484	6.1	479	8.5	-1.0
5 YEARS OLD	221	2.8	114	2.0	-48.4
18 YEARS OLD	105	1.3	103	1.8	-1.9
MEDIAN AGE	22.1		25.7		16.3

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SOURCE: U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION; 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA



COUNTY PROFILES - VALLEY COUNTY
SECTION 01: POPULATION

- TABLE 1.5 -
HOUSEHOLDS, AND FAMILIES BY TYPE: 1960 AND 1970

*HOUSEHOLDS AND **FAMILIES	1960	1970	PERCENT CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS	4,656	3,466	-25.6
PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLDS	16,488	11,377	-31.0
PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD	3.54	3.28	-7.3
NUMBER OF FAMILIES	3,930	2,776	-29.4
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES	3,669	2,452	-33.2
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD	NA	225	
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD	NA	99	
PERSONS PER FAMILY	NA	3.79	

- TABLE 1.6 -
ESTIMATES OF THE POPULATION: 1971 TO 1976
(SHOWN TO THE NEAREST HUNDRED)

ITEM	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976 (PROVISIONAL)
POPULATION ESTIMATE (JULY 1)	11,800	11,900	13,200	13,100	13,200	13,400

NA NOT AVAILABLE

*HOUSEHOLD: ALL PERSONS WHO OCCUPY A GROUP OF ROOMS OR SINGLE ROOM, WHICH CONSTITUTES A HOUSING UNIT WHEN IT IS OCCUPIED AS SEPARATE LIVING QUARTERS

**FAMILY: HOUSEHOLD HEAD AND ONE OR MORE OTHER PERSONS LIVING IN SAME HOUSEHOLD WHO ARE RELATED TO THE HEAD

SOURCE: TABLE 1.5 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION 1960, V.1,PT.28; 1970, FIRST COUNT SUMMARY TAPE
TABLE 1.6 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CURRENT POPULATION REPORTS, SERIES P-26, NOS. 19, 53, 109, 75-26, 76-26



COUNTY PROFILES - VALLEY COUNTY
SECTION 02: VITAL STATISTICS AND HEALTH

- TABLE 2.1 -
PLACE OF BIRTH, *NATIVE POPULATION: 1960 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	1960	1970
TOTAL NATIVE POPULATION	16,264	11,292
BORN IN MONTANA	7,926	6,999
BORN IN DIFFERENT STATE	8,022	3,886
PERCENT OF TOTAL	49.3	34.4
BORN ABROAD, AT SEA, ETC.	159	122
STATE OF BIRTH NOT REPORTED	157	285

- TABLE 2.2 -
MARITAL STATUS, PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY SEX: 1970

ITEM	MALE	FEMALE
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	3,963	3,928
NEVER MARRIED	1,166	827
MARRIED, EXCEPT SEPARATED	2,535	2,527
SEPARATED	36	48
WIDOWED	108	401
DIVORCED	118	125

*PERSONS BORN IN THE U.S., IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, IN AN OUTLYING AREA OF THE U.S., OR AT SEA

SOURCE: TABLE 2.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA
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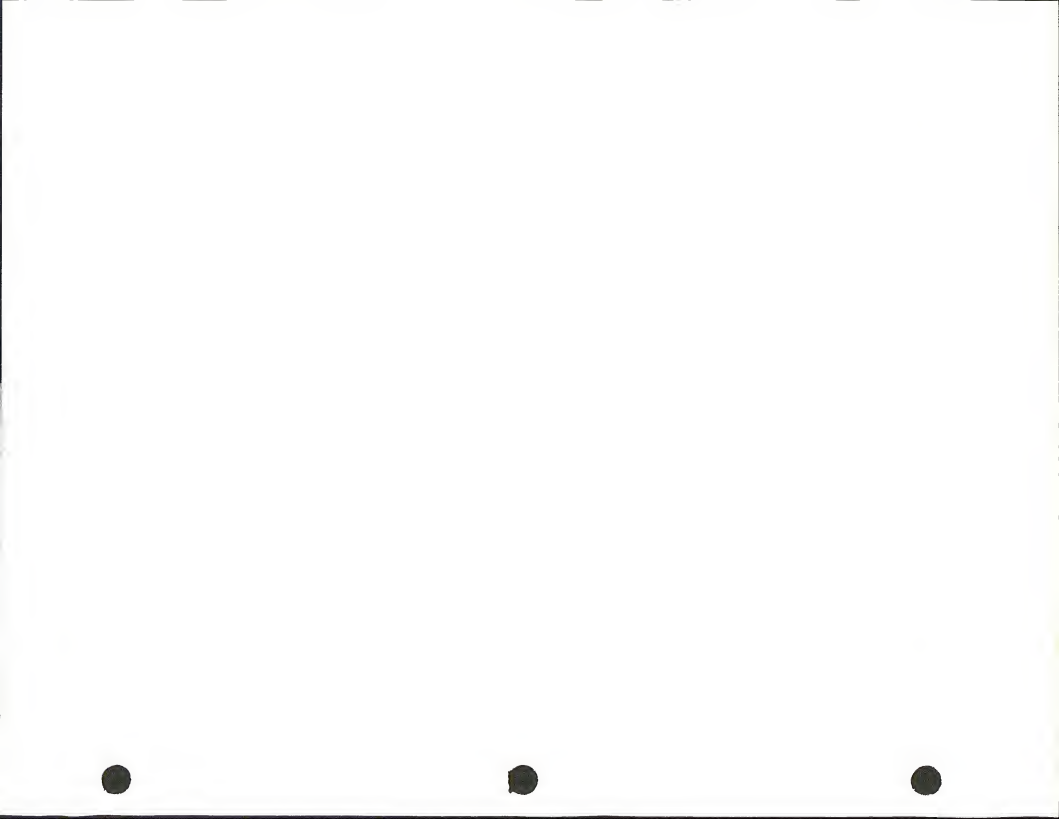
- TABLE 2.3 -
VETERAN STATUS, CIVILIAN MALE PERSONS, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER: 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

	STATE NUMBER	COUNTY NUMBER	PERCENT OF STATE
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CIVILIAN MALES, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER	227,584	3,548	1.6
VETERAN	99,983	1,473	1.5
PERCENT OF TOTAL	43.9	41.5	
VIETNAM CONFLICT	16,556	226	1.4
KOREAN CONFLICT	16,671	234	1.4
KOREAN CONFLICT AND WORLD WAR II	2,506	36	1.4
WORLD WAR II	42,958	615	1.4
WORLD WAR I	6,175	87	1.4
OTHER SERVICE	15,117	275	1.8
NONVETERAN	127,601	2,075	1.6

- TABLE 2.4 -
LICENSED NONGOVERNMENTAL HOSPITALS AND LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES: 1977

HOSPITALS		LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES	
NUMBER	BEDS	NUMBER	BEDS
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1	62	2	96

SOURCE: TABLE 2.3 U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA
TABLE 2.4 STATE DEPT. OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, BUREAU OF RECORDS AND STATISTICS, HEALTH DATA MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (UNPUBLISHED)



COUNTY PROFILES - VALLEY COUNTY
SECTION 02: VITAL STATISTICS AND HEALTH

- TABLE 2.5 -
LIVE BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES, AND DIVORCES: 1972 TO 1976
(BIRTHS AND DEATHS BY RESIDENCE; MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES BY OCCURRENCE)

YEAR	BIRTHS	DEATHS		MARRIAGES SOLEMNIZED	*DIVORCES & ANNULMENTS	RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION	
		TOTAL	INFANT			BIRTHS	DEATHS
1972	212	102	3	137	36	17.7	8.5
1973	255	115	5	155	50	19.2	8.6
1974	250	110	4	142	49	19.2	8.5
1975	239	88	4	131	52	18.0	6.6
1976	214	113	3	130	70	16.0	8.4

*IN THE UNIFORM MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE ACT APPROVED MAY 1975, THE TERMS "DIVORCE" AND "ANNULMENT" ARE REPLACED BY "DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE" AND "DECLARATION OF INVALIDITY"

SOURCE: STATE DEPT. OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, BUREAU OF RECORDS AND STATISTICS, MONTANA VITAL STATISTICS: 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976



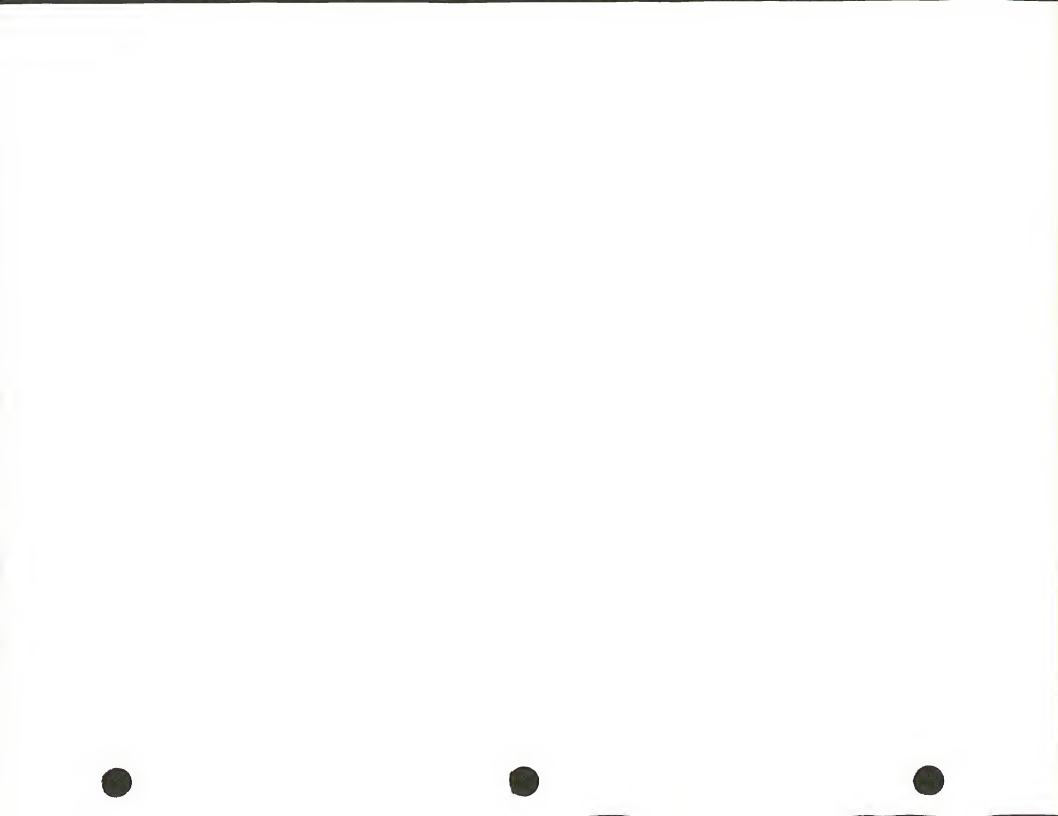
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SECTION 02: VITAL STATISTICS AND HEALTH

- TABLE 2.6 -
RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR THE *FOUR LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH: 1972 TO 1976

ITEM	STATE		COUNTY	
	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE
HEART DISEASE				
YEAR: 1972	2,294	319.1	31	258.3
1973	2,300	319.0	34	255.6
1974	2,202	299.6	34	261.5
1975	2,178	291.2	40	300.8
1976	2,178	289.2	32	238.8
CANCER				
YEAR: 1972	1,122	156.1	9	75.0
1973	1,061	147.2	18	135.3
1974	1,130	153.7	17	130.8
1975	1,105	147.7	16	120.3
1976	1,191	158.2	24	179.1
CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE)				
YEAR: 1972	743	103.3	9	75.0
1973	711	98.6	5	37.6
1974	670	91.2	7	53.8
1975	660	88.2	3	22.6
1976	637	84.6	7	52.2
ACCIDENTS				
YEAR: 1972	635	88.3	10	83.3
1973	611	84.7	22	165.4
1974	559	76.1	11	84.6
1975	584	78.1	2	15.0
1976	579	76.9	10	74.6

*FOUR LEADING CAUSES SHOWN REPRESENT THE EXPERIENCE OF THE ENTIRE STATE; AN INDIVIDUAL COUNTY MAY HAVE OTHER CAUSES OF DEATH WHICH SHOULD APPEAR AMONG THE TOP FOUR

SOURCE: STATE DEPT. OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, BUREAU OF RECORDS AND STATISTICS, MONTANA VITAL STATISTICS: 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976



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SECTION 03: EDUCATION

- TABLE 3.1 -
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT BY TYPE OF SCHOOL: 1960 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

TYPE OF SCHOOL	1960	1970
TOTAL ENROLLED, 3 TO 34 YEARS OLD	*NA	3,564
NURSERY SCHOOL	NA	19
PUBLIC	NA	5
KINDERGARTEN	79	166
PUBLIC	29	48
ELEMENTARY (1 TO 8 YEARS)	2,825	2,330
PUBLIC	2,527	2,165
HIGH SCHOOL (1 TO 4 YEARS)	968	1,002
PUBLIC	935	989
COLLEGE	49	47

- TABLE 3.2 -
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT BY AGE: 1960 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

AGE GROUP	1960		1970	
	ENROLLED IN SCHOOL NUMBER	PERCENT	ENROLLED IN SCHOOL NUMBER	PERCENT
TOTAL ENROLLED, 3 TO 34 YEARS OLD	*NA	NA	3,564	54.8
3 AND 4 YEARS OLD	NA	NA	20	4.1
5 AND 6 YEARS OLD	387	41.8	322	61.7
7 TO 13 YEARS OLD	2,388	97.8	2,022	98.4
14 AND 15 YEARS OLD	486	97.0	539	89.2
16 AND 17 YEARS OLD	391	87.5	470	90.4
18 AND 19 YEARS OLD	154	30.3	160	45.7
20 AND 21 YEARS OLD	40	6.0	13	5.0
22 TO 24 YEARS OLD	23	2.4	6	1.5
25 TO 34 YEARS OLD	52	2.1	12	0.9
35 YEARS OLD AND OVER	NA	NA	18	NA

...PERCENT NOT SHOWN WHERE LESS THAN 0.1; PERCENT NOT SHOWN WHERE BASE IS LESS THAN 200
*RECORDED FOR PERSONS 5 TO 34 YEARS OLD IN 1960

SOURCE: TABLE 3.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA
TABLE 3.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, FOURTH COUNT SUMMARY TAPE



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- TABLE 3.3 -
MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED, PERSONS 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER: 1960 AND 1970

ITEM	1960	1970
MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED	11.6	12.1

- TABLE 3.4 -
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, PERSONS 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY SEX: 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED	MALE	FEMALE
PERSONS, 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER	2,946	2,887
NO SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED	26	17
ELEMENTARY (8 YEARS)	593	335
HIGH SCHOOL (4 YEARS)	978	1,130
COLLEGE (4 YEARS OR MORE)	214	205
MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED	11.9	12.3
PERCENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES	49.4	60.0

- TABLE 3.5 -
VOCATIONAL TRAINING OF PERSONS 16-64 YEARS OLD, WITH LESS THAN 15 YEARS OF SCHOOL, BY SEX: 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	MALE	FEMALE
PERSONS, 16-64 YEARS OLD, WITH LESS THAN 15 YEARS OF SCHOOL	2,940	2,883
PERCENT WITH VOCATIONAL TRAINING	27.3	15.8

SOURCE: TABLE 3.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA
TABLE 3.4 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA
TABLE 3.5 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970, FOURTH COUNT SUMMARY TAPE



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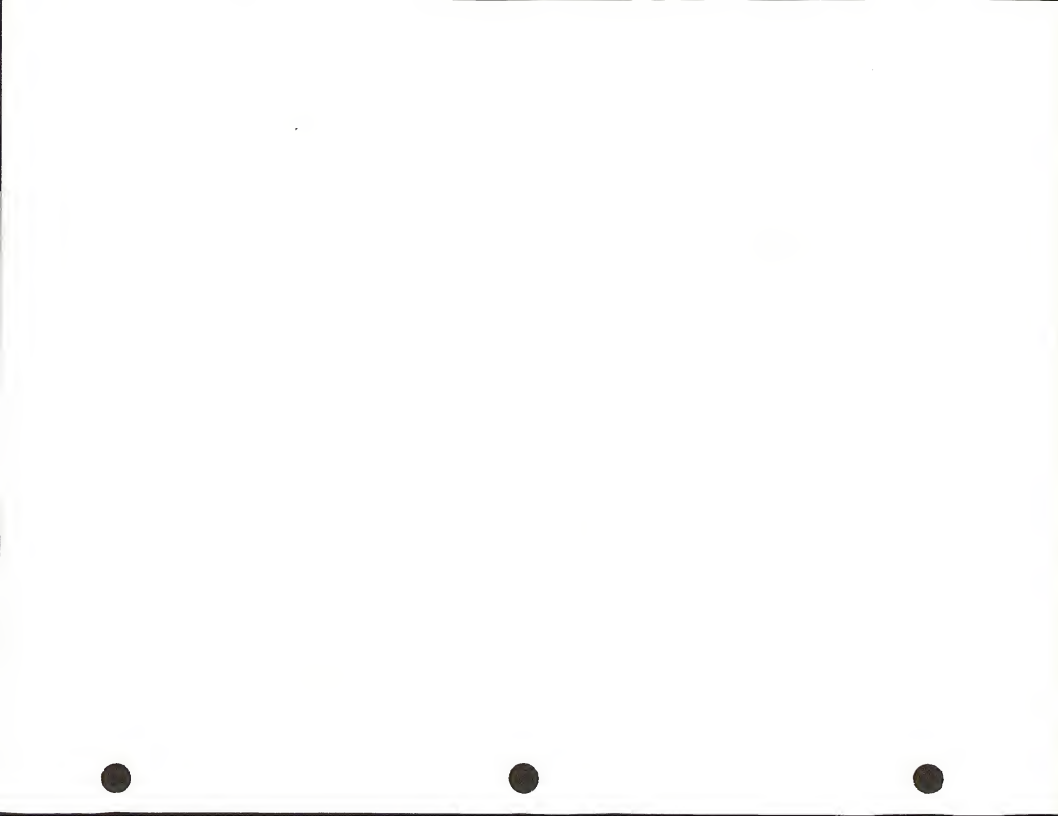
- TABLE 3.6 -
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES NOT ENROLLED IN COLLEGE, AND SCHOOL DROPOUTS,
16-21 YEARS OLD -- EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY SEX: 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

EMPLOYMENT STATUS, BY SEX	GRADUATES	DROPOUTS
PERSONS, 16-21 YEARS OLD, NOT ATTENDING SCHOOL	359	160
EMPLOYED OR IN ARMED FORCES	246	80
MALE	152	43
FEMALE	94	37
UNEMPLOYED OR NOT IN LABOR FORCE	113	80
MALE	32	18
FEMALE	81	62

- TABLE 3.7 -
PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT BY GRADE: 1974-75 THROUGH 1977-78

GRADE	1974-75	SCHOOL YEAR 1975-76	1976-77	1977-78
TOTAL ENROLLED	3,396	3,243	3,131	2,821
KINDERGARTEN	201	188	225	174
FIRST GRADE	249	280	217	244
SECOND GRADE	238	218	242	167
THIRD GRADE	247	222	216	231
FOURTH GRADE	214	228	219	189
FIFTH GRADE	281	217	215	203
SIXTH GRADE	262	273	198	204
SEVENTH GRADE	320	251	272	204
EIGHTH GRADE	256	300	245	255
NINTH GRADE	293	237	288	211
TENTH GRADE	277	291	252	263
ELEVENTH GRADE	238	268	268	213
TWELFTH GRADE	261	220	253	244
UNGRADED AND SPECIAL EDUCATION	59	50	21	19

SOURCE: TABLE 3.6 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970, FOURTH COUNT SUMMARY TAPE
TABLE 3.7 OFFICE OF THE SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MONTANA SCHOOL STATISTICS, 1974, 1975; MONTANA PUBLIC
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT DATA, FALL 1976, 1977



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- TABLE 3.8 -
PUBLIC SCHOOL PUPIL-TEACHER RATIO: 1971-72 THROUGH 1976-77

ITEM	SCHOOL YEAR					
	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75	1975-76	1976-77
PUPILS ENROLLED	3,204	3,353	3,267	3,396*	3,243*	3,131*
ELEMENTARY (KINDERGARTEN - 8)	2,192	2,354	2,231	2,268	2,177	2,049
SECONDARY (9 - 12)	1,012	999	1,036	1,069	1,016	1,061
CLASSROOM TEACHERS	176	185	191	197	203	197
PUPIL-TEACHER RATIO	18.2	18.1	17.1	17.2	16.0	15.9

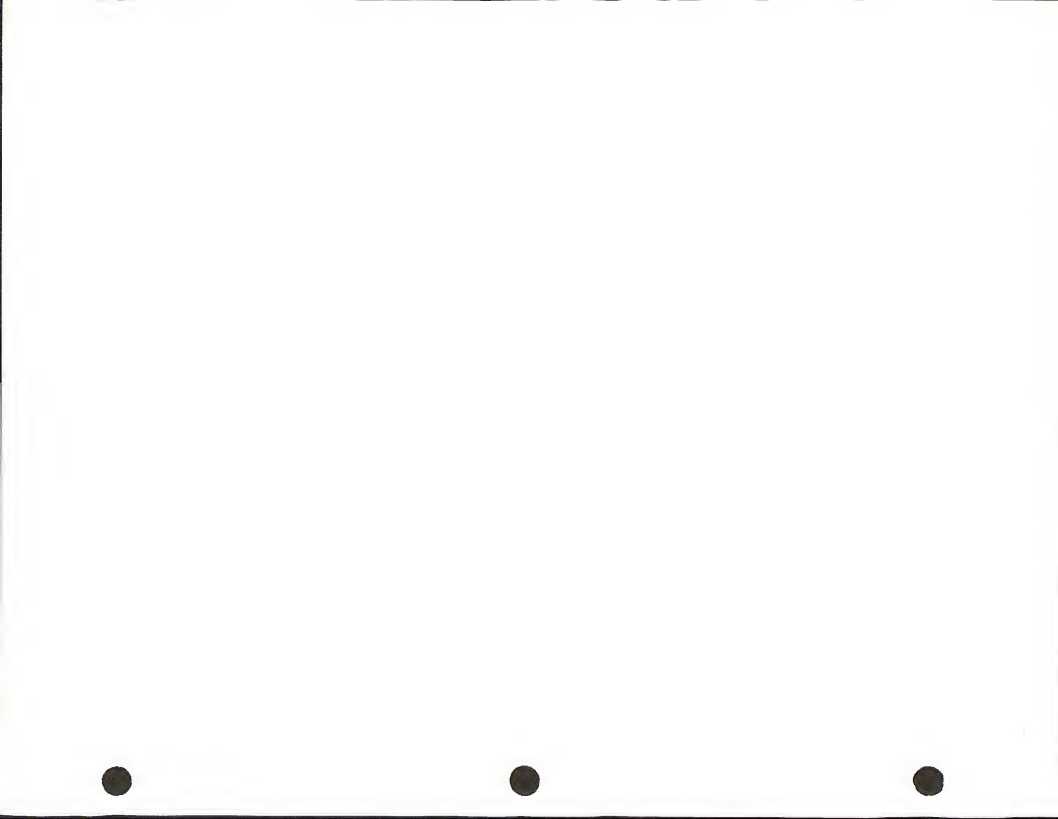
- TABLE 3.9 -
GENERAL FUND REVENUE FOR BUDGET SUPPORT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND BUDGETED
EXPENDITURE PER PUPIL, ALL DISTRICTS: 1976-77 AND 1977-78
(REVENUE IN DOLLARS)

ITEM	1976-77	1977-78
	SCHOOL YEAR	SCHOOL YEAR
ANTICIPATED GENERAL FUND REVENUE	4,782,798	4,804,917
FOUNDATION PROGRAM	2,638,387	2,692,152
SCHEDULE	2,424,089	2,468,364
SPECIAL EDUCATION	214,298	223,788
PERMISSIVE LEVY	659,597	673,038
DISTRICT	287,861	293,868
STATE	371,736	379,170
VOTED LEVY	1,484,815	1,439,727
**ANB (PUPILS)	3,244	3,040
BUDGETED EXPENDITURE PER PUPIL	1,474	1,581

*INCLUDES UNGRADED/SPECIAL EDUCATION PUPILS

**AVERAGE NUMBER BELONGING IN PUBLIC SCHOOL PREVIOUS YEAR

SOURCE: TABLE 3.8 OFFICE OF THE SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MONTANA SCHOOL STATISTICS (SOME UNPUBLISHED DATA)
TABLE 3.9 OFFICE OF THE SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, UNPUBLISHED DATA



COUNTY PROFILES - VALLEY COUNTY
SECTION 04: HOUSING

- TABLE 4.1 -
HOUSING UNITS BY TENURE AND VACANCY STATUS: 1960 AND 1970

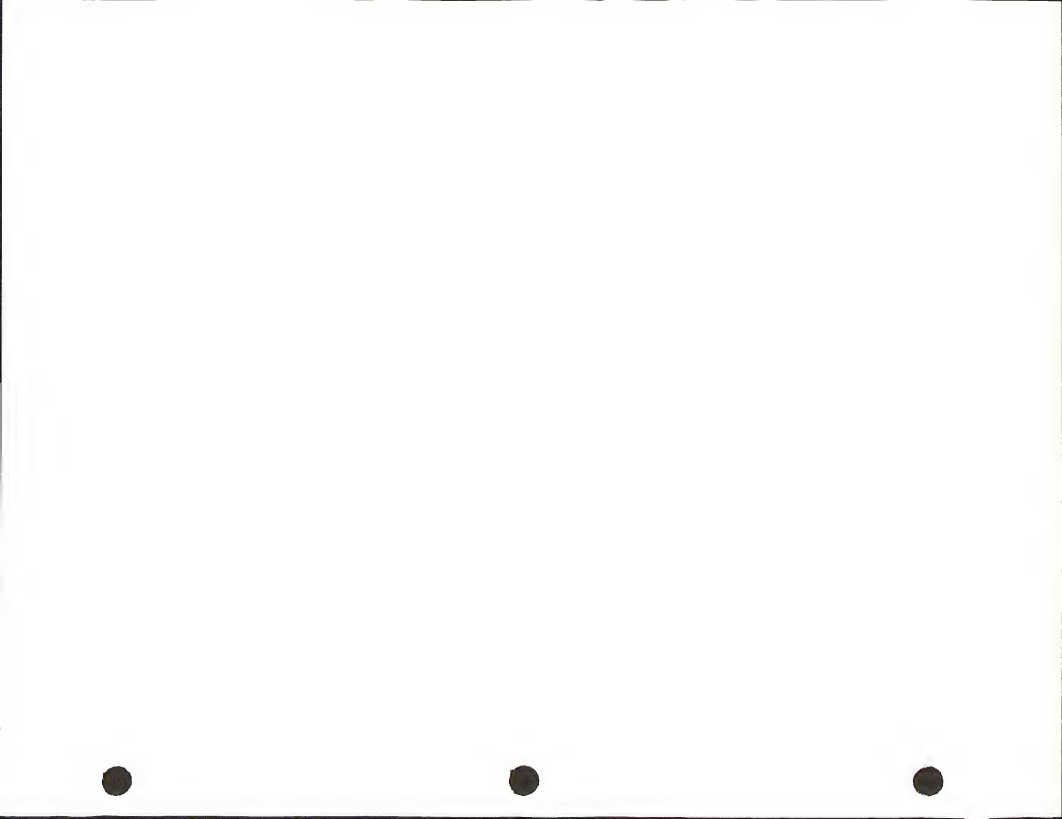
ITEM	1960	1970	PERCENT CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
ALL HOUSING UNITS	5,293	5,289	-0.1
OCCUPIED	4,656	3,466	-25.6
OWNER OCCUPIED	2,678	2,118	-20.9
RENTER OCCUPIED	1,978	1,348	-31.9
VACANT	637	1,823	186.2
YEAR-ROUND	434	1,707	293.3
FOR SALE ONLY	65	59	-9.2
FOR RENT	85	1,337	...
OTHER	284	311	9.5
SEASONAL	203	116	-42.9
*HOMEOWNER VACANCY RATE (PERCENT)	2.4	2.7	
**RENTAL VACANCY RATE (PERCENT)	4.1	49.8	

- TABLE 4.2 -
HOUSEHOLDS BY LOW INCOME STATUS: 1969
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL	OWNER OCCUPIED	RENTER OCCUPIED
***HOUSING UNITS FOR WHICH VALUE AND RENT ARE TABULATED	2,473	1,261	1,212
HOUSEHOLDS WITH INCOME LESS THAN POVERTY LEVEL	506	199	307
PERCENT OF ALL UNITS	20.5	15.8	25.3

*VACANT UNITS FOR SALE DIVIDED BY ALL OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS AND YEAR-ROUND VACANT UNITS FOR SALE
 **VACANT UNITS FOR RENT DIVIDED BY ALL RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS AND ALL YEAR-ROUND VACANT UNITS FOR RENT
 ***FOR EACH OCCUPIED HOUSING UNIT THERE IS ONE HOUSEHOLD

SOURCE: TABLE 4.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, FIRST COUNT SUMMARY TAPE
 TABLE 4.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970, FOURTH COUNT SUMMARY TAPE



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- TABLE 4.3 -
STRUCTURAL AND PLUMBING CHARACTERISTICS OF HOUSING UNITS, TOTAL AND RURAL AREA: 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL	*RURAL AREA
YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	5,193	3,380
STRUCTURES WITH 1 UNIT	3,168	1,867
2 UNITS	560	423
3 AND 4 UNITS	913	839
5 OR MORE UNITS	338	114
MOBILE HOME OR TRAILER	214	137
STRUCTURES BY YEAR BUILT		
1969 TO MARCH, 1970	63	63
1965 TO 1968	207	153
1960 TO 1964	1,516	1,140
1950 TO 1959	933	620
1940 TO 1949	352	245
1939 OR EARLIER	2,122	1,159
STRUCTURES LACKING:		
**SOME OR ALL PLUMBING FACILITIES	513	443
***COMPLETE KITCHEN FACILITIES	430	375

*RURAL AREA IS THE AREA OUTSIDE OF URBANIZED AREAS, INCLUDING PLACES WITH A POPULATION OF LESS THAN 2,500

**HOT AND COLD PIPED WATER, FLUSH TOILET, AND BATHTUB OR SHOWER

***INSTALLED SINK WITH PIPED WATER, RANGE OR COOKSTOVE, AND MECHANICAL REFRIGERATOR

SOURCE: TABLE 4.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA



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- TABLE 4.4 -
UTILIZATION CHARACTERISTICS OF HOUSING UNITS, TOTAL AND RURAL AREA: 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL	RURAL AREA
YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS	5,193	3,380
MEDIAN NUMBER OF ROOMS*		
IN ALL UNITS	5.2	5.6
IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	5.3	5.4
IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	4.7	5.3
OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS	3,485	1,934
MEDIAN NUMBER OF PERSONS		
IN ALL OCCUPIED UNITS	2.9	3.2
IN OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	3.0	3.2
IN RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	2.7	3.1
OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS WITH 1.01 OR MORE PERSONS PER ROOM	369	247

- TABLE 4.5 -
OWNER-OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS BY VALUE, TOTAL AND RURAL AREA: 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL	RURAL AREA
**SPECIFIED OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS	1,242	421
***VALUE		
LESS THAN \$5,000	259	154
\$5,000 TO \$9,999	313	146
\$10,000 TO \$14,999	288	67
\$15,000 TO \$19,999	231	37
\$20,000 TO \$24,999	93	5
\$25,000 TO \$34,999	48	12
\$35,000 OR MORE	10	0
MEDIAN VALUE	11,100	6,300

*WHOLE ROOMS USED FOR LIVING PURPOSES: BATHROOMS, FOYERS, UTILITY ROOMS, UNFINISHED ATTICS, OR BASEMENTS NOT INCLUDED
 **ONE-FAMILY HOUSES ON LESS THAN 10 ACRES; EXCLUDES MOBILE HOMES AND TRAILERS, AND UNITS IN COOPERATIVES & CONDOMINIUMS
 ***ESTIMATE OF HOW MUCH THE PROPERTY WOULD SELL FOR IF IT WERE FOR SALE

SOURCE: TABLE 4.4 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA
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- TABLE 4.6 -
RENTER-OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS BY GROSS MONTHLY RENT, TOTAL AND RURAL AREA: 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL	RURAL AREA
*SPECIFIED RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS	1,254	637
**GROSS RENT		
LESS THAN \$30	0	0
\$30 TO \$39	52	18
\$40 TO \$59	127	63
\$60 TO \$79	337	133
\$80 TO \$99	202	98
\$100 TO \$149	333	192
\$150 TO \$199	103	64
\$200 OR MORE	12	7
NO CASH RENT	88	62
MEDIAN GROSS RENT	86	90

- TABLE 4.7 -
NEW PRIVATELY-OWNED HOUSING UNITS AUTHORIZED BY BUILDING PERMITS: 1975 AND 1976
(NOT TO BE DIRECTLY INTERPRETED AS HOUSING STARTS)

ITEM	1975	1976
***RESIDENTIAL HOUSING UNITS AUTHORIZED	19	13

*EXCLUDES ONE-FAMILY HOMES ON 10 ACRES OR MORE

**CONTRACT RENT PLUS ESTIMATED AVERAGE MONTHLY COST OF UTILITIES AND FUELS, IF THESE ITEMS ARE PAID FOR BY RENTER

***BUILDING-PERMIT RECORDS REFLECT CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY ONLY IN AREAS SUBJECT TO LOCAL PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

SOURCE: TABLE 4.6 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA
TABLE 4.7 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CONSTRUCTION REPORTS - HOUSING AUTHORIZED BY BUILDING PERMITS AND LOCAL
CONTRACTS: ANNUAL 1976



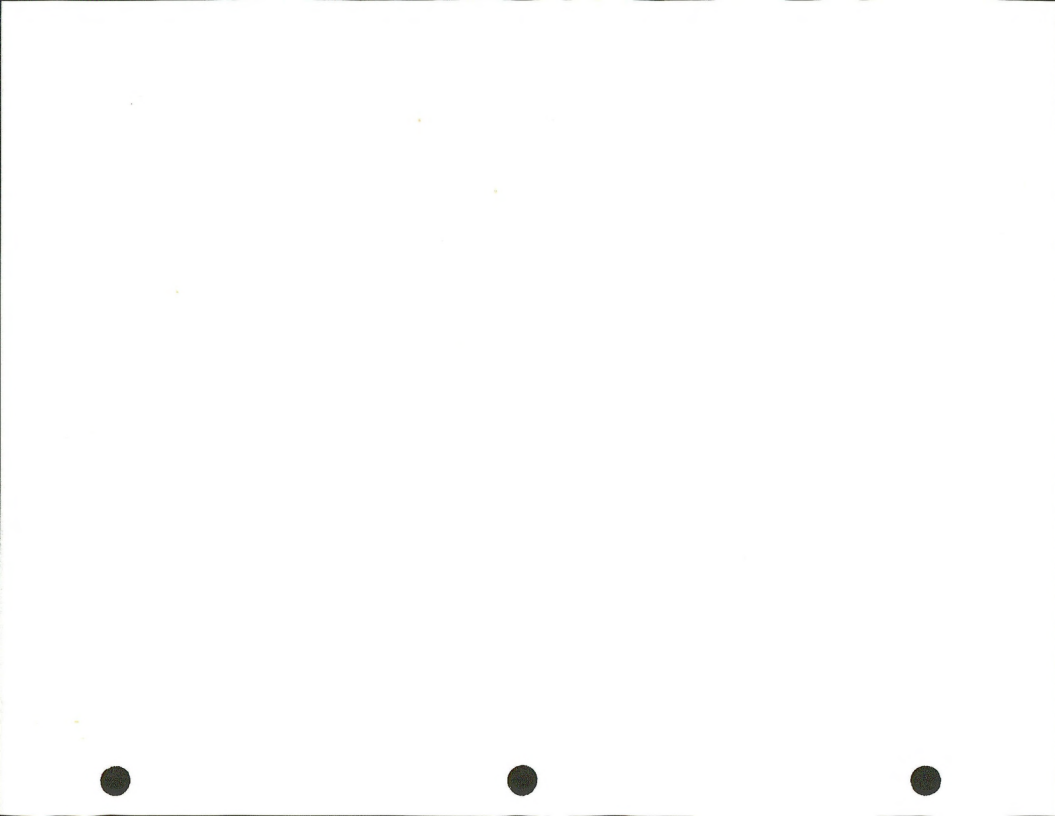
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SECTION 05: EMPLOYMENT

- TABLE 5.1 -
EMPLOYMENT STATUS, PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY SEX: 1960 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	1960	*1970	PERCENT CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
BOTH SEXES			
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	11,030	7,958	-27.9
LABOR FORCE	6,662	4,522	-32.1
PERCENT OF TOTAL	60.4	56.8	
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	5,438	4,354	-19.9
EMPLOYED	4,971	4,123	-17.1
UNEMPLOYED	467	231	-50.5
PERCENT OF CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	8.6	5.3	
NOT IN LABOR FORCE	4,368	3,436	-21.3
MALE			
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	6,104	3,991	-34.6
LABOR FORCE	5,172	2,972	-42.5
PERCENT OF TOTAL	84.7	74.5	
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	3,948	2,804	-29.0
EMPLOYED	3,610	2,657	-26.4
UNEMPLOYED	338	147	-56.5
PERCENT OF CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	8.6	5.2	
NOT IN LABOR FORCE	932	1,019	9.3
FEMALE			
TOTAL, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	4,926	3,967	-19.5
LABOR FORCE	1,490	1,550	4.0
PERCENT OF TOTAL	30.2	39.1	
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	1,490	1,550	4.0
EMPLOYED	1,361	1,466	7.7
UNEMPLOYED	129	84	-34.9
PERCENT OF CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	8.7	5.4	
NOT IN LABOR FORCE	3,436	2,417	-29.7

*LABOR FORCE UNIVERSE REVISED JANUARY 1967 TO PERSONS 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER; TO ACHIEVE COMPARABILITY, DATA FOR 1970 PRESENTED FOR PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER

SOURCE: U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, FOURTH COUNT SUMMARY TAPE



COUNTY PROFILES - VALLEY COUNTY
SECTION 05: EMPLOYMENT

- TABLE 5.2 -
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS, BY SEX: 1960 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

OCCUPATION GROUP	1960	1970	PERCENT CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
MALE EMPLOYED, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	3,610	2,657	-26.4
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	284	248	-12.7
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS (NON-FARM)	449	322	-28.3
SALES WORKERS	160	113	-29.4
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	121	92	-24.0
CRAFTSMEN, FOREMEN AND KINDRED WORKERS	818	363	-55.6
OPERATIVES AND KINDRED WORKERS	413	279	-32.4
LABORERS (NON-FARM)	276	137	-50.4
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	734	617	-15.9
FARM LABORERS AND FOREMEN	137	239	74.5
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	155	136	-12.3
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	14	0	-100.0
OCCUPATION NOT REPORTED	49	111	126.5
FEMALE EMPLOYED, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	1,361	1,466	7.7
PROFESSIONAL, TECHNICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	197	262	33.0
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS (NON-FARM)	82	60	-26.8
SALES WORKERS	132	84	-36.4
CLERICAL AND KINDRED WORKERS	394	359	-8.9
CRAFTSMEN, FOREMEN AND KINDRED WORKERS	3	28	833.3
OPERATIVES AND KINDRED WORKERS	60	125	108.3
LABORERS (NON-FARM)	8	43	437.5
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	24	66	175.0
FARM LABORERS AND FOREMEN	0	6	
SERVICE WORKERS, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	271	374	38.0
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WORKERS	136	19	-86.0
OCCUPATION NOT REPORTED	54	69	27.8

SOURCE: U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, FOURTH COUNT SUMMARY TAPE



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SECTION 05: EMPLOYMENT

- TABLE 5.3 -
INDUSTRY OF EMPLOYED PERSONS, BY SEX: 1960 AND 1970
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

INDUSTRY GROUP	1960	1970	PERCENT CHANGE 1960 TO 1970
MALE EMPLOYED, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	3,610	2,657	-26.4
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHERIES	928	866	-6.7
MINING AND CONSTRUCTION	906	227	-74.9
MANUFACTURING	90	294	226.7
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATION, AND OTHER UTILITIES	349	259	-25.8
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	648	369	-43.1
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	84	48	-42.9
BUSINESS AND REPAIR SERVICES	40	37	-7.5
PERSONAL SERVICES	64	35	-45.3
ENTERTAINMENT AND RECREATION SERVICES	8	14	75.0
PROFESSIONAL AND RELATED SERVICES	180	210	16.7
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	277	192	-30.7
INDUSTRY NOT REPORTED	36	106	194.4
FEMALE EMPLOYED, 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER	1,361	1,466	7.7
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND FISHERIES	35	37	5.7
MINING AND CONSTRUCTION	12	16	33.3
MANUFACTURING	24	168	600.0
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATION, AND OTHER UTILITIES	61	57	-6.6
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	373	334	-10.5
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	57	60	5.3
BUSINESS AND REPAIR SERVICES	8	19	137.5
PERSONAL SERVICES	253	135	-46.6
ENTERTAINMENT AND RECREATION SERVICES	32	10	-68.8
PROFESSIONAL AND RELATED SERVICES	353	487	38.0
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	103	65	-36.9
INDUSTRY NOT REPORTED	50	78	56.0

SOURCE: U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, FOURTH COUNT SUMMARY TAPE



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SECTION 05: EMPLOYMENT

- TABLE 5.4 -
ESTIMATES OF THE LABOR FORCE AND AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATES: 1972 TO 1977

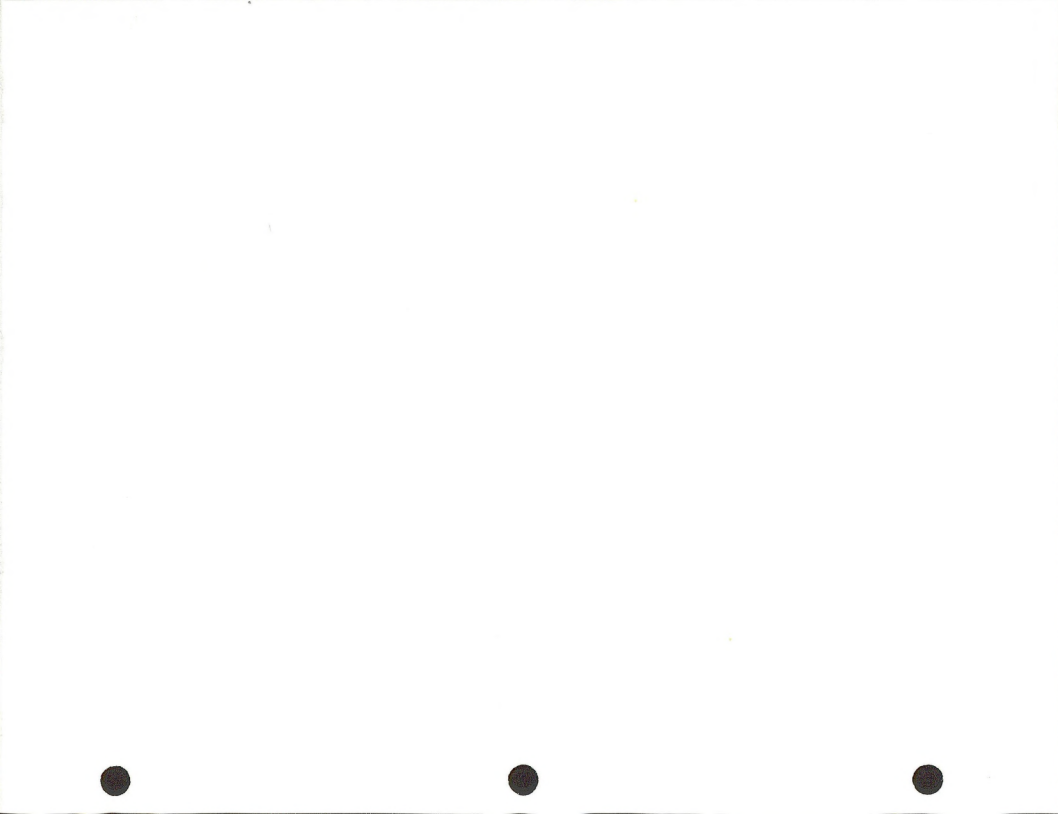
YEAR	*LABOR FORCE	UNEMPLOYED	**UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
1972	5,037	253	5.0
1973	5,026	300	6.0
1974	5,447	303	5.6
1975	5,254	395	7.5
1976	5,144	440	8.6
***1977	4,844	425	8.8

*PERSONS 16 YEARS AND OLDER, DEFINED AS EMPLOYED OR UNEMPLOYED, EXCLUDING MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES, INCLUDING SELF-EMPLOYED, UNPAID FAMILY WORKERS, AND DOMESTIC WORKERS

**UNEMPLOYED EXPRESSED AS PERCENTAGE OF THE LABOR FORCE

***PRELIMINARY

SOURCE: MONTANA DEPT. OF LABOR & INDUSTRY, EMPLOYMENT SECURITY DIV., MONTANA EMPLOYMENT AND LABOR FORCE, V.7, NO.7, JULY 1977; V.8, NO.3, MARCH 1978



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SECTION 05: EMPLOYMENT

- TABLE 5.5 -
EMPLOYMENT BY TYPE AND BROAD INDUSTRIAL SOURCES: 1971 TO 1975
(FULL AND PART-TIME WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT PLUS NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS)

ITEM	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	5,086	5,446	5,398	5,595	5,473
NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS	1,352	1,361	1,347	1,334	1,303
FARM PROPRIETORS	813	799	787	772	740
NON-FARM PROPRIETORS	539	562	560	562	563
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT	3,734	4,085	4,051	4,261	4,170
FARM	257	258	257	281	237
NON-FARM	3,477	3,827	3,794	3,980	3,933
GOVERNMENT	1,032	1,087	1,073	1,118	1,131
FEDERAL	422	474	402	369	365
FEDERAL CIVILIAN	302	365	284	267	274
MILITARY	120	109	118	102	91
STATE AND LOCAL	610	613	671	749	766
PRIVATE NON-FARM	2,445	2,740	2,721	2,862	2,802
MANUFACTURING	714	563	(D)	(D)	(D)
MINING	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
CONSTRUCTION	194	220	198	315	340
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATIONS, AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	285	300	(D)	(D)	329
TRADE	764	820	860	901	941
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	105	113	116	107	110
SERVICES	364	697	860	991	908
OTHER	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

(D) NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION. DATA ARE INCLUDED IN TOTALS

SOURCE: BUREAU OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (MAGNETIC TAPE)



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SECTION 05: EMPLOYMENT

- TABLE 5.6 -
EMPLOYMENT BY TYPE AND BROAD INDUSTRIAL SOURCES: PERCENTAGE COMPARISONS
(PERCENTAGES DERIVED FROM DATA IN TABLE 5.5)

ITEM	PERCENT CHANGE 1971 TO 1975	PERCENT CHANGE 1974 TO 1975	PERCENT OF TOTAL W & S EMPLOYMENT 1975	PERCENT OF STATE 1975
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	7.6	-2.2		1.7
NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS	-3.6	-2.3		2.3
FARM PROPRIETORS	-9.0	-4.1		2.9
NON-FARM PROPRIETORS	4.5	0.2		1.7
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT	11.7	-2.1	100.0	1.6
FARM	-7.8	-15.7	5.7	2.2
NON-FARM	13.1	-1.2	94.3	1.6
GOVERNMENT	9.6	1.2	27.1	1.6
FEDERAL	-13.5	-1.1	8.8	1.9
FEDERAL CIVILIAN	-9.3	2.6	6.6	2.1
MILITARY	-24.2	-10.8	2.2	1.6
STATE AND LOCAL	25.6	2.3	18.4	1.5
PRIVATE NON-FARM	14.6	-2.1	67.2	1.6
MANUFACTURING	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
MINING	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
CONSTRUCTION	75.3	7.9	8.2	2.6
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATIONS, AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	15.4	(D)	7.9	1.7
TRADE	23.2	4.4	22.6	1.6
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	4.8	2.8	2.6	1.1
SERVICES	149.5	-8.4	21.8	1.9
OTHER	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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SOURCE: BUREAU OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (MAGNETIC TAPE)



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SECTION 06: INCOME

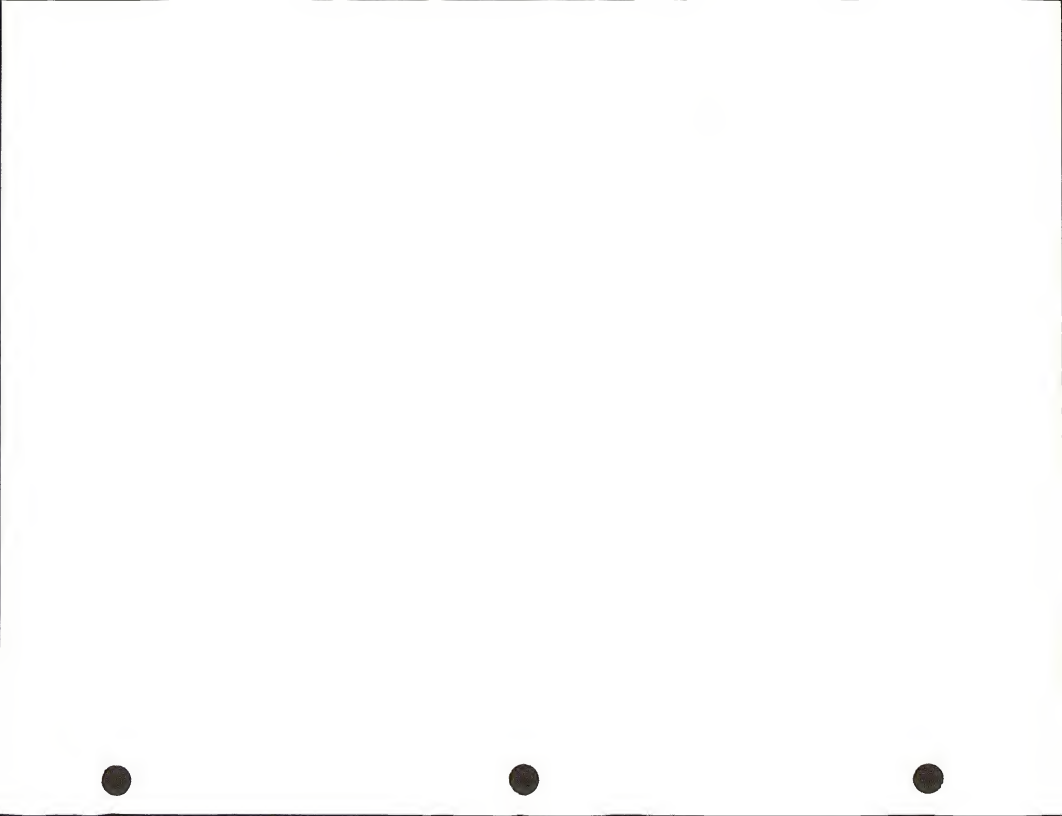
- TABLE 6.1 -
FAMILY INCOME DISTRIBUTION IN 1959 AND 1969
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

MONEY INCOME	1959		1969		PERCENT CHANGE 1959 TO 1969
	NUMBER OF FAMILIES	PERCENT OF TOTAL	NUMBER OF FAMILIES	PERCENT OF TOTAL	
ALL FAMILIES	4,009	100.0	2,860	100.0	-28.7
LESS THAN \$1,000	179	4.5	59	2.1	-67.0
\$1,000 TO \$1,999	275	6.9	119	4.2	-56.7
\$2,000 TO \$2,999	393	9.8	181	6.3	-53.9
\$3,000 TO \$3,999	471	11.7	172	6.0	-63.5
\$4,000 TO \$4,999	529	13.2	191	6.7	-63.9
\$5,000 TO \$5,999	485	12.1	199	7.0	-59.0
\$6,000 TO \$6,999	445	11.1	245	8.6	-44.9
\$7,000 TO \$7,999	310	7.7	222	7.8	-28.4
\$8,000 TO \$8,999	282	7.0	220	7.7	-22.0
\$9,000 TO \$9,999	175	4.4	190	6.6	8.6
\$10,000 TO \$14,999	348	8.7	671	23.5	92.8
\$15,000 TO \$24,999	96	2.4	322	11.3	235.4
\$25,000 OR MORE	21	0.5	69	2.4	228.6

- TABLE 6.2 -
MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME: RANKING AMONG MONTANA COUNTIES: 1959 AND 1969
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

1959		1969		PERCENT CHANGE 1959 TO 1969
MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME	RANK	MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME	RANK	
5,325	18	8,191	25	53.8

SOURCE: TABLE 6.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1960, V.1, PT.28; 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA
TABLE 6.2 IBID.



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- TABLE 6.3 -
MONEY INCOME BY HOUSEHOLD TYPE: 1969
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

MONEY INCOME	HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILY	OTHER FAMILY	* PRIMARY INDIVIDUAL
LESS THAN \$5,000	523	173	510
\$5,000 TO \$9,999	969	109	125
\$10,000 TO \$14,999	637	21	36
\$15,000 OR MORE	354	15	13

- TABLE 6.4 -
LOW-INCOME STATUS OF FAMILIES, UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, AND PERSONS: 1969
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

**LOW-INCOME STATUS	FAMILIES	PERCENT OF ALL FAMILIES	UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS	PERCENT OF ALL UNREL. INDIV.	PERSONS	PERCENT OF ALL PERSONS
INCOME LESS THAN POVERTY	399	14.0	260	33.0	1,933	16.8
INCOME LESS THAN 75% OF POVERTY LEVEL	234	8.2	166	21.1	1,182	10.3
INCOME LESS THAN 125% OF POVERTY LEVEL	567	19.8	362	45.9	2,795	24.3

*HOUSEHOLD HEAD LIVING ALONE OR WITH NON-RELATIVE
**EXCLUDES INMATES OF INSTITUTIONS, MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES LIVING IN BARRACKS, COLLEGE STUDENTS IN DORMITORIES, AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS UNDER 14 YEARS

SOURCE: TABLE 6.3 U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1970, FOURTH COUNT SUMMARY TAPE
TABLE 6.4 U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, U.S. CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA



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- TABLE 6.5 -
*PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES: 1970 TO 1975
(THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

ITEM	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
TOTAL LABOR AND PROPRIETORS INCOME BY PLACE OF WORK	38,064	37,867	49,334	68,681	66,027	63,835
BY TYPE						
WAGE AND SALARY DISBURSEMENTS	21,140	23,422	26,787	27,951	31,712	35,075
OTHER LABOR INCOME	1,390	1,601	1,701	1,569	1,757	1,943
PROPRIETORS INCOME	15,534	12,844	20,846	39,161	32,558	26,817
FARM	11,800	8,751	17,231	34,483	26,968	20,932
NON-FARM	3,734	4,093	3,615	4,678	5,590	5,885
BY INDUSTRY						
FARM	12,699	9,741	18,313	35,679	28,437	22,267
NON-FARM	25,365	28,126	31,021	33,002	37,590	41,568
PRIVATE	18,619	20,560	22,256	24,054	28,356	31,361
MANUFACTURING	5,032	5,874	4,386	(D)	(D)	(D)
MINING	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	2,306	2,807	2,977	3,260	5,254	6,096
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	4,671	4,997	5,311	6,282	7,050	7,973
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	1,003	1,156	1,122	1,201	1,157	1,314
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATIONS, AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	2,581	2,643	3,024	(D)	(D)	4,277
SERVICES	2,762	2,819	5,079	7,440	8,908	9,914
OTHER INDUSTRIES	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
GOVERNMENT	6,746	7,566	8,765	8,946	9,234	10,207
FEDERAL, CIVILIAN	2,457	3,156	4,085	3,363	3,257	3,595
FEDERAL, MILITARY	1,302	1,166	1,217	1,408	1,316	1,277
STATE AND LOCAL	2,947	3,244	3,463	4,177	4,661	5,335
**PERSONAL INCOME BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE	46,070	46,347	57,960	79,113	78,448	78,072
PER CAPITA INCOME (DOLLARS)	3,995	3,924	4,871	5,992	6,004	5,867

*CURRENT INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES; MEASURED AFTER DEDUCTION OF PERSONAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO SOCIAL SECURITY, GOVT. RETIREMENT, AND OTHER SOCIAL INSURANCE PROGRAMS BUT BEFORE DEDUCTION OF INCOME AND OTHER PERSONAL TAXES

**DERIVATION OF PERSONAL INCOME IS EXPLAINED FULLY IN LOCAL AREA PERSONAL INCOME, 1970-1975, V.8: ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION, REPORT NO. BEA-REM 77-10; AVAILABLE FROM NTIS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE (ACCESSION NO. PB-270 887)

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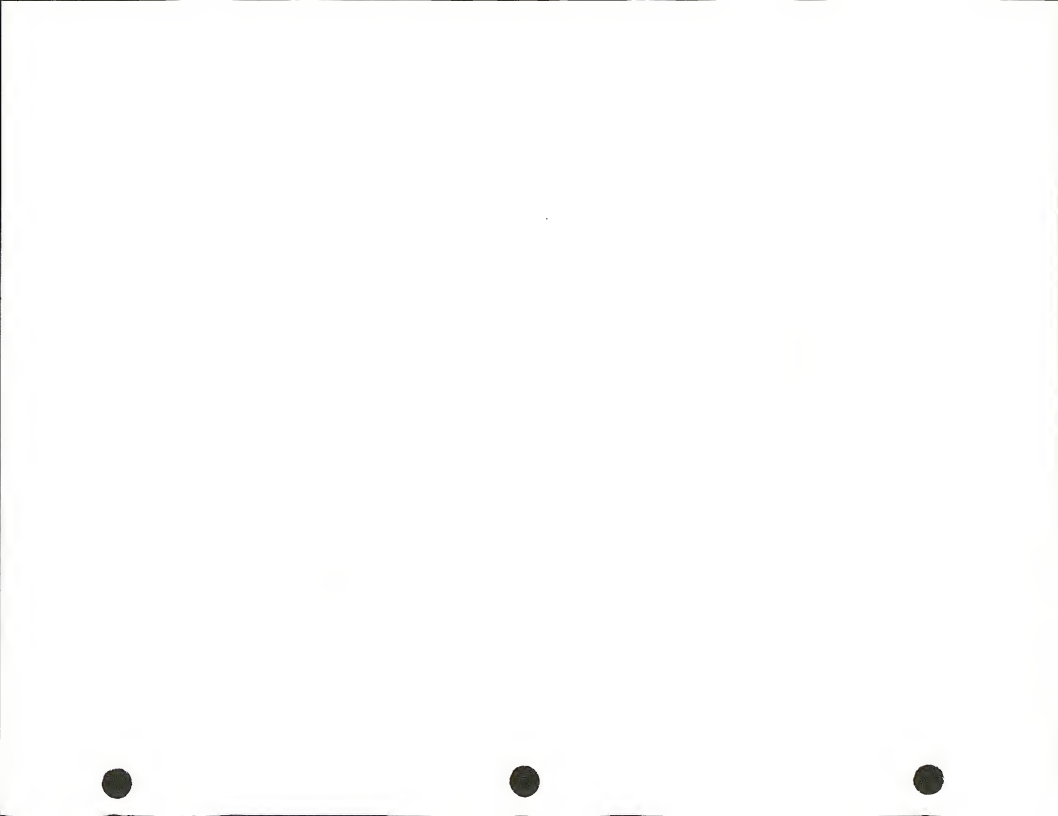
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- TABLE 6.6 -
PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES: PERCENTAGE COMPARISONS
(PERCENTAGES DERIVED FROM DATA IN TABLE 6.5)

ITEM	PERCENT CHANGE 1970 TO 1975	PERCENT CHANGE 1974 TO 1975	PERCENT OF TOTAL EARNINGS 1975	PERCENT OF STATE 1975
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TOTAL LABOR AND PROPRIETORS INCOME BY PLACE OF WORK	67.7	-3.3	100.00	2.07
BY TYPE				
WAGE AND SALARY DISBURSEMENTS	65.9	10.6		1.59
OTHER LABOR INCOME	39.8	10.6		1.45
PROPRIETORS INCOME	72.6	-17.6		3.62
FARM	77.4	-22.4		4.69
NON-FARM	57.6	5.3		2.00
BY INDUSTRY				
FARM	75.3	-21.7	34.88	4.40
NON-FARM	63.9	10.6	65.12	1.61
PRIVATE	68.4	10.6	49.13	1.63
MANUFACTURING	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
MINING	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	164.4	16.0	9.55	3.07
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	70.7	13.1	12.49	1.54
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	31.0	13.6	2.06	1.18
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATIONS, AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	65.7	(D)	6.70	1.57
SERVICES	258.9	11.3	15.53	2.41
OTHER INDUSTRIES	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
GOVERNMENT	51.3	10.5	15.99	1.56
FEDERAL, CIVILIAN	44.0	10.4	5.63	2.01
FEDERAL, MILITARY	-1.9	-3.0	2.00	1.64
STATE AND LOCAL	81.0	14.5	8.36	1.35
PERSONAL INCOME BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE	69.5	-0.5		1.92

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SOURCE: BUREAU OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (MAGNETIC TAPE)



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SECTION 07: GOVERNMENTAL FINANCES

- TABLE 7.1 -
SELECTED ITEMS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL FINANCES FOR COUNTY AREA: 1971-72

ITEM	AMOUNTS (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)	*PER CAPITA (DOLLARS)
GENERAL REVENUE, EXCLUDING INTERLOCAL	5,274	459.74
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE	1,687	147.03
FROM STATE GOVERNMENT	1,293	112.71
FROM LOCAL SOURCES	3,587	312.71
TAXES	3,081	268.56
PROPERTY TAXES	2,957	257.80
CHARGES AND MISCELLANEOUS	506	44.15
DIRECT GENERAL EXPENDITURE	4,918	428.73
CAPITAL OUTLAY	272	23.72
OTHER	4,646	405.01
EDUCATION	3,232	281.80
HIGHWAYS	390	33.96
PUBLIC WELFARE	124	10.82
HOSPITALS	0	0.00
HEALTH	60	5.24
POLICE PROTECTION	136	11.89
FIRE PROTECTION	35	3.06
SEWERAGE	19	1.66
SANITATION OTHER THAN SEWERAGE	29	2.55
PARKS AND RECREATION	22	1.94
NATURAL RESOURCES	180	15.71
HOUSING AND URBAN RENEWAL	0	0.00
CORRECTION	22	1.92
LIBRARIES	34	2.94
FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	80	7.00
GENERAL CONTROL	138	12.07
GENERAL PUBLIC BUILDINGS	83	7.26
INTEREST ON GENERAL DEBT	124	10.84
OTHER AND UNALLOCABLE	208	18.09
WATER SUPPLY REVENUE	69	6.03
WATER SUPPLY EXPENDITURE	76	6.64
GENERAL DEBT OUTSTANDING	4,568	398.22
LONG-TERM	4,554	396.96
LOCAL SCHOOLS	2,213	192.93

*BASED ON 1970 POPULATION

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF GOVERNMENTS, 1972. V.4, GOVERNMENT FINANCES; NO.5, COMPENDIUM OF GOVERNMENT FINANCES



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- TABLE 7.2 -
FEDERAL FUNDS DISTRIBUTED BY SELECTED FEDERAL AGENCY OPERATIONS: *FISCAL YEAR 1977
(REPORTED FROM THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH ONLY)

ITEM	STATE AMOUNT (\$1,000)	COUNTY AMOUNT (\$1,000)	PERCENT OF STATE
TOTAL FEDERAL OUTLAYS	1,690,910	38,987	2.3
GRANT OUTLAYS	414,391	10,466	2.5
OTHER FEDERAL OUTLAYS	1,276,519	28,521	2.2
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	307,492	8,546	2.8
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE	60,439	6,833	11.3
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE	321,030	10,729	3.3
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION AND WELFARE	456,872	6,277	1.4
**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT	15,115	814	5.4
DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR	107,092	2,010	1.9
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	5,104	32	0.6
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	62,066	273	0.4
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	95,714	337	0.4
TREASURY DEPARTMENT	35,098	335	1.0
ACTION	811	0	0.0
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION	35,208	596	1.7
COMMUNITY SERVICES ADMINISTRATION	6,172	0	0.0
ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION	7,423	0	0.0
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY	12,221	0	0.0
GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION	7,042	4	0.1
NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON ARTS AND HUMANITIES	767	0	0.0
NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION	986	0	0.0
POSTAL SERVICE	49,262	842	1.7
RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD	32,445	371	1.1
SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	2,529	320	12.7
VETERANS ADMINISTRATION	69,231	668	1.0
***OTHER	772	0	0.0

*OCTOBER 1, 1976 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1977

**DATA FOR A NUMBER OF H.U.D. PROGRAMS WERE NOT REPORTED BY THE DEPARTMENT

***DEPT. OF STATE, EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMM., FEDERAL ENERGY ADMIN., NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMIN., U.S. INFORMATION AGENCY, WATER RESOURCES COUNCIL, FEDERAL MEDIATION AND CONCILIATION SERVICE, INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION, AND TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

SOURCE: COMMUNITY SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, FEDERAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE, FEDERAL OUTLAYS IN MONTANA, FY 1977



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- TABLE 7.3 -
PAYMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ELIGIBLE FOR REVENUE SHARING AS AUTHORIZED UNDER
THE REVENUE SHARING ACT OF 1972 AND THE 1976 AMENDMENTS TO THE ACT: 1972 TO 1977

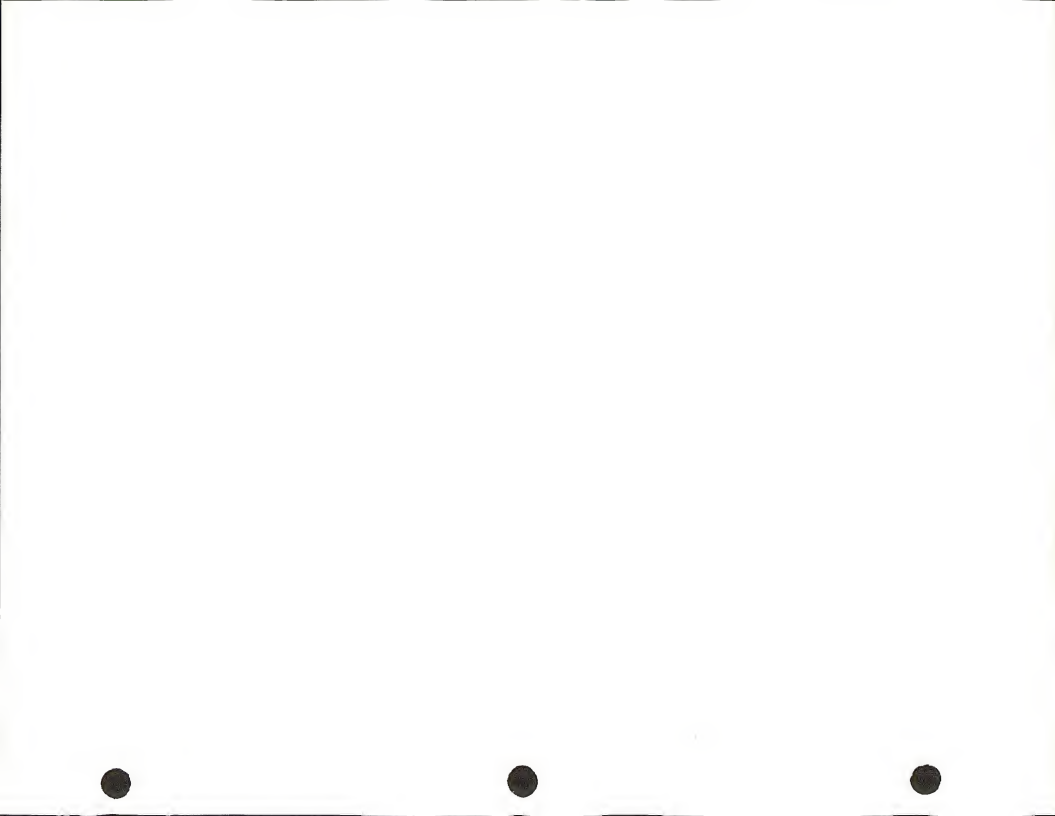
	COUNTY	MUNICIPALITIES	INDIAN TRIBES	TOTAL
ENTITLEMENT PERIODS 1 - 7 (JAN. 1, 1972 - DEC. 31, 1976)	1,092,768	303,172	0	1,395,940
ENTITLEMENT PERIOD 8 AND FIRST QUARTER OF 9 (JAN. 1, 1977 - DEC. 31, 1977)	179,258	65,375	0	244,633

- TABLE 7.4 -
ASSESSED AND TAXABLE VALUE BY KIND OF PROPERTY: 1975 TO 1977
(VALUE IN DOLLARS)

ITEM	1975		1976		1977	
	ASSESSED	TAXABLE	ASSESSED	TAXABLE	ASSESSED	TAXABLE
TOTAL ASSESSMENT	75,479,309	19,675,513	78,055,399	19,687,243	82,224,253	20,260,501
LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS	29,496,982	8,830,433	30,863,728	9,227,381	31,991,449	9,562,234
PERSONAL PROPERTY OTHER THAN LIVESTOCK	29,247,693	8,830,343	32,107,875	5,981,264	34,309,686	6,015,242
LIVESTOCK	6,925,427	2,308,474	5,728,996	1,909,665	6,141,549	2,047,183
LOCAL PROPERTY OF PUBLIC UTILITIES	1,926,351	316,509	1,553,789	280,125	1,496,158	267,148
PUBLIC UTILITIES ALLOCATED BY THE DEPT. OF REVENUE	7,865,244	2,312,864	7,788,976	2,276,773	8,225,336	2,308,619
*NET PROCEEDS AND ROYALTIES	17,612	17,612	12,035	12,035	60,075	60,075
**GROSS PROCEEDS			0	0	0	0

*NET PROCEEDS LAW PROVIDES A SPECIAL METHOD FOR VALUING OIL AND GAS PROPERTIES, LIME ROCK, GYPSUM AND OTHER
QUARRIES AND MINES, EXCEPT COAL AND METAL MINES
**THE 1975 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ENACTED A METHOD FOR VALUING COAL MINING PROPERTY BASED ON THE GROSS METAL
YIELD. THE 1977 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CHANGED THE METHOD OF VALUING METAL MINING PROPERTY FROM NET PROCEEDS
TO GROSS PROCEEDS

SOURCE: TABLE 7.3 U.S. DEPT. OF THE TREASURY, OFFICE OF REVENUE SHARING, 18TH PAYMENT, JAN. 10, 1977; 22ND PAYMENT,
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TABLE 7.4 STATE DEPT. OF REVENUE, REPORT FOR THE PERIOD JULY 1, 1974 TO JUNE 30, 1976, AND UNPUBLISHED DATA



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- TABLE 7.5 -
TAXES LEVIED FOR ALL PURPOSES: FISCAL YEARS 1975, 1976, 1977

	1975 (DOLLARS)	1976 (DOLLARS)	1977 (DOLLARS)
TOTAL LEVIED FOR STATE PURPOSES	205,932	193,385	190,977
UNIVERSITY MILLAGE	112,179	116,678	120,553
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DEFICIENCY	38,316	24,725	3,287
HIGH SCHOOL DEFICIENCY	23,948	15,051	1,972
*PERMISSIVE FUNDING			17,825
LIVESTOCK	31,489	36,931	47,340
TOTAL LEVIED FOR COUNTY PURPOSES	936,099	1,088,492	844,818
GENERAL FUND	445,626	531,083	329,024
ROAD FUND	170,428	203,600	184,692
BRIDGE FUND	59,283	59,059	60,786
POOR FUND	91,521	136,922	105,283
BOND INTEREST AND SINKING	26,298	12,902	14,375
COUNTY FAIR	29,642	29,529	30,393
COUNTY LIBRARY	31,656	35,861	40,064
AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE	23,713	26,841	28,367
**MISCELLANEOUS	57,932	52,695	19,414
OTHER	0	0	32,420
TOTAL LEVIED FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES	1,843,625	2,088,921	1,915,426
ELEMENTARY COUNTY-WIDE	734,399	758,617	750,360
HIGH SCHOOL COUNTY-WIDE	506,991	534,481	524,531
DISTRICT SCHOOLS	602,235	795,823	640,535
TAXES LEVIED FOR SPECIAL DISTRICT AND MISC. PURPOSES			
HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT	928,885	754,829	672,245
FIRE DISTRICT	6,185	6,027	6,150
OTHER	230,320	277,911	278,055
TOTAL, ALL TAXES EXCEPT CITIES AND TOWNS	4,151,046	4,409,565	3,907,671
TAXES LEVIED FOR CITIES AND TOWNS			
GENERAL	404,219	426,101	410,684
SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT	12,610	12,520	5,991
GRAND TOTAL, ALL TAXES FOR ALL PURPOSES	4,567,875	4,848,186	4,324,346

*IMPOSED TO FULLY FUND LOCAL PERMISSIVE LEVIES ABOVE 6 MILLS ON HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND 9 MILLS ON ELEMENTARY DISTRICTS

**INCLUDES CEMETERY, HOSPITAL, SENIOR CITIZENS, AIRPORT, WEED CONTROL, LOCAL GOVT. STUDY COMMISSION

SOURCE: STATE DEPT. OF REVENUE, REPORT FOR THE PERIOD JULY 1, 1974 TO JUNE 30, 1976, AND UNPUBLISHED DATA



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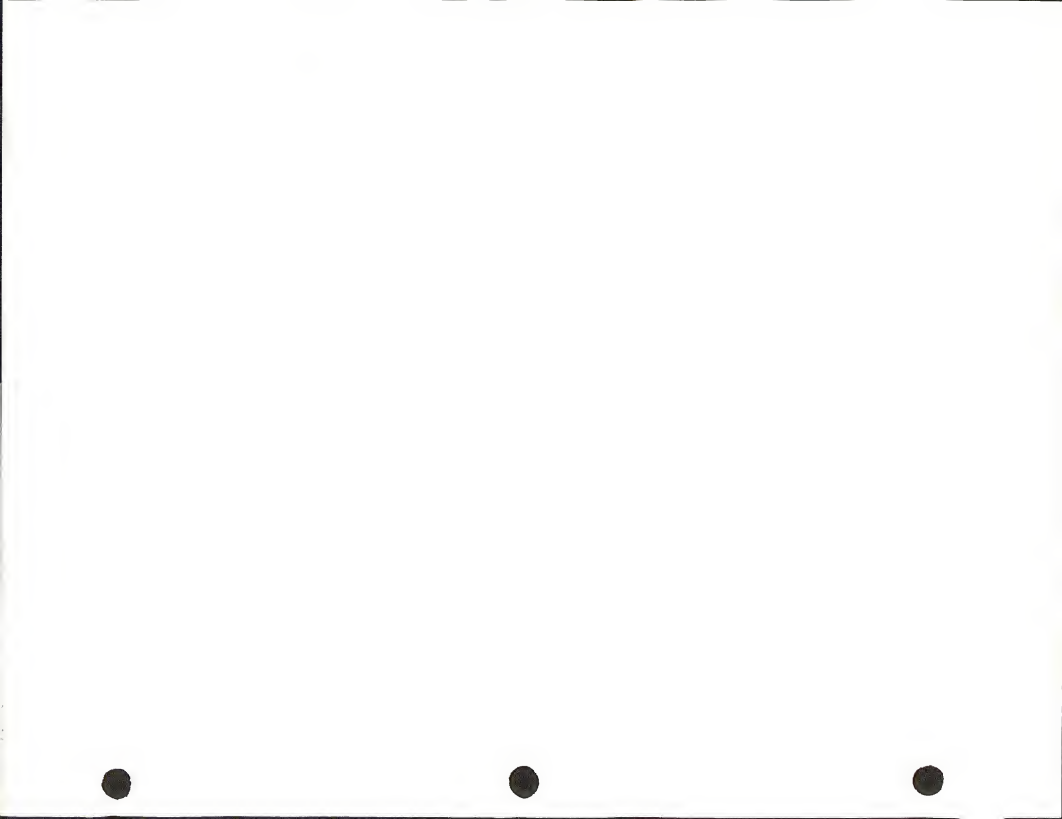
- TABLE 8.1 -

OLD-AGE, SURVIVORS, DISABILITY, AND HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFICIARIES BY TYPE
AND AGE, AND BY SEX OF ADULT BENEFICIARIES: END OF DECEMBER 1975, 1976

SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFICIARIES	END OF DECEMBER 1975	END OF DECEMBER 1976
TOTAL BENEFICIARIES IN CURRENT PAYMENT STATUS	1,492	1,519
RETIRED WORKERS	779	791
DISABLED WORKERS	94	92
WIVES OR HUSBANDS OF RETIRED OR DISABLED WORKERS	147	146
CHILDREN OF RETIRED, DISABLED, OR DECEASED WORKERS	279	284
WIDOWS, WIDOWERS, OR PARENTS	193	206
BENEFICIARIES BY AGE GROUP		
UNDER AGE 65	551	543
AGE 65 TO 71	413	443
AGE 72 AND OVER	528	533
ADULT BENEFICIARIES BY SEX		
MALE	565	556
FEMALE	648	679

NOTE: FOR PROGRAM DEFINITIONS AND HISTORY OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT, SEE SOCIAL SECURITY BULLETIN, ANNUAL STATISTICAL SUPPLEMENT, SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEW

SOURCE: SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEW, TABLE A (UNPUBLISHED DATA)



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- TABLE 8.2 -
OLD-AGE, SURVIVORS, DISABILITY, AND HEALTH INSURANCE MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS BY TYPE
AND AGE OF BENEFICIARIES, AND BY SEX OF ADULTS: END OF DECEMBER 1975, 1976

ITEM	BENEFITS PAID END OF DECEMBER 1975 (DOLLARS)	BENEFITS PAID END OF DECEMBER 1976 (DOLLARS)
TOTAL MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS IN CURRENT PAYMENT STATUS	257,754	291,081
RETIRED WORKERS	157,519	175,229
DISABLED WORKERS	18,580	19,707
WIVES OR HUSBANDS OF RETIRED OR DISABLED WORKERS	15,098	16,320
CHILDREN OF RETIRED, DISABLED, OR DECEASED WORKERS	30,645	38,120
WIDOWS, WIDOWERS, OR PARENTS	35,912	41,705
MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS BY BENEFICIARY AGE GROUP		
UNDER AGE 65	74,419	83,871
AGE 65 AND OVER	183,335	207,210
MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS BY SEX OF ADULT BENEFICIARIES		
MALE	123,087	132,867
FEMALE	104,022	120,094

SOURCE: SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEW, TABLE B (UNPUBLISHED DATA)



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- TABLE 8.3 -
ENROLLMENT AND REIMBURSEMENT FOR HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL INSURANCE (MEDICARE),
PERSONS AGED 65 AND OVER, AND DISABLED BENEFICIARIES: 1973 TO 1975

ITEM	1973		1974		1975	
	NUMBER ENROLLED AS OF JULY 1	AMOUNT REIMBURSED CALENDAR YEAR (DOLLARS)	NUMBER ENROLLED AS OF JULY 1	AMOUNT REIMBURSED CALENDAR YEAR (DOLLARS)	NUMBER ENROLLED AS OF JULY 1	AMOUNT REIMBURSED CALENDAR YEAR (DOLLARS)
HOSPITAL AND/OR MEDICAL INSURANCE	1,030	437,469	1,029	445,607	1,042	505,761
HOSPITAL INSURANCE	1,023	348,800	1,022	343,657	1,036	388,445
SUPPLEMENTARY MEDICAL INSURANCE	993	88,669	993	101,950	1,015	117,316
*DISABILITY BENEFICIARIES						
HOSPITAL AND/OR MEDICAL INSURANCE	78	6,084	86	36,617	99	29,101
HOSPITAL INSURANCE	78	5,083	86	24,263	99	18,311
SUPPLEMENTARY MEDICAL INSURANCE	75	1,001	82	12,354	94	10,790

- TABLE 8.4 -
PERSONS RECEIVING PAYMENTS UNDER THE FEDERAL **SSI PROGRAM AND UNDER FEDERALLY-ADMINISTERED
STATE SUPPLEMENTATION PROGRAMS, AND AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS: JUNE 1975, 1976, 1977

ITEM	JUNE 1975	JUNE 1976	JUNE 1977
TOTAL RECIPIENTS	133	127	114
AGED	71	62	55
BLIND AND/OR DISABLED	62	65	59
MONTHLY PAYMENTS (DOLLARS)	NA	10,195	11,547
AGED	NA	4,276	4,791
BLIND AND/OR DISABLED	NA	5,919	6,756

(D) NOT SHOWN WHEN RECIPIENTS ARE 6 OR FEWER

*EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1973 MEDICARE WAS EXTENDED TO DISABLED PERSONS ENTITLED TO MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS UNDER SOCIAL SECURITY AND RAILROAD RETIREMENT PROGRAMS AND TO CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS WITH CHRONIC KIDNEY DISEASE

**SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME (SSI) WAS ESTABLISHED BY 1972 AMENDMENTS TO SOCIAL SECURITY ACT. BEGINNING JAN. 1974, SSI SUPERSEDED OLD-AGE ASSISTANCE IN THE STATES

SOURCE: TABLE 8.3 SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEW, MEDICARE: 1974 AND 1975, SECTION 1.1, REIMBURSEMENT BY STATE AND COUNTY; 1973 (UNPUBLISHED DATA)
TABLE 8.4 SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEW, REGIONAL SSA PROGRAM CIRCULARS, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME, COUNTY DATA (EXTRACTED FROM SSI MGMT INFO ANALYST TABLE 20.A FOR SSA DISTRIBUTION)



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- TABLE 8.5 -
EXPENDITURES FOR AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN AND MEDICAL CARE: 1972 TO 1977

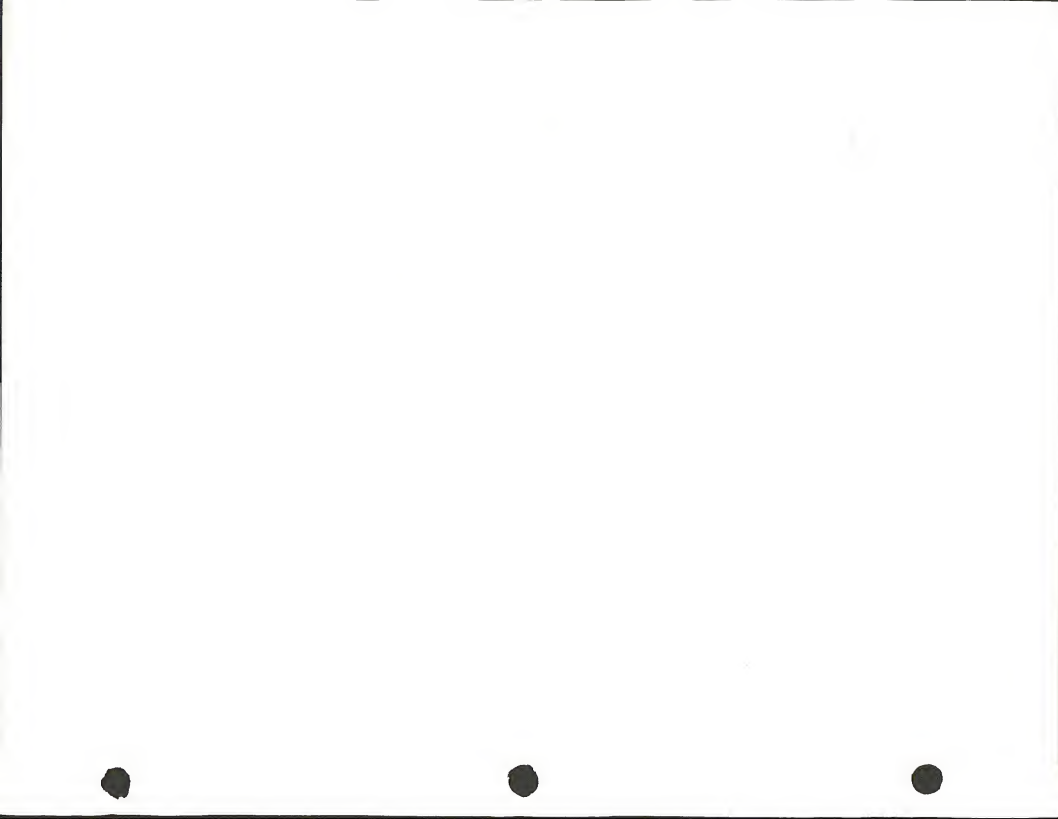
YEAR	AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN			*MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID)		
	ANNUAL AMOUNT (DOLLARS)	AVERAGE NO. CASES PER MONTH	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER MONTH (DOLLARS)	ANNUAL AMOUNT (DOLLARS)	AVERAGE NO. CASES PER MONTH	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER MONTH (DOLLARS)
1972	219,776	130.0	140.45	282,258	282.6	82.54
1973	222,283	124.9	148.03	330,948	252.3	109.96
1974	198,198	2.7	149.24	396,934	274.1	121.56
1975	210,628	121.5	143.93	470,876	308.0	129.22
1976	223,956	115.1	161.67	506,447	287.5	149.34
1977	210,287	103.4	168.63	569,459	261.5	183.45

- TABLE 8.6 -
HOUSEHOLDS RECEIVING FOOD STAMPS, AND VALUE OF FOOD STAMPS ISSUED BY COUNTY: 1972 TO 1977

YEAR	VALUE OF FOOD STAMPS PURCHASED (DOLLARS)	PUBLIC ASSISTANCE HOUSEHOLDS AVERAGE NO. PER MONTH	NON-ASSISTANCE HOUSEHOLDS AVERAGE NO. PER MONTH	AVERAGE VALUE BONUS PAYMENT PER MONTH (DOLLARS)
1972	171,827	91.3	84.3	37.69
1973	186,714	79.1	96.5	40.81
1974	291,550	48.5	152.1	60.33
1975	322,131	48.5	168.7	60.74
1976	334,457	52.4	160.3	65.78
1977	316,887	46.7	159.4	66.26

*DATA FOR WHICH COUNTY BREAKDOWN WAS PROVIDED

SOURCE: TABLE 8.5 STATE DEPT. OF SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICES, BUR OF STATISTICS AND RESEARCH (UNPUBLISHED DATA)
TABLE 8.6 IBID.



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SECTION 09: AGRICULTURE

- TABLE 9.1 -
FARMS AND VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD: 1969 AND 1974
(USING 1974 DEFINITION OF FARM*)

CENSUS YEAR	ALL FARMS	VALUE, AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)	FARMS WITH SALES OF \$2,500 AND OVER	VALUE, AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)
1969	686	15,695	646	15,633
1974	746	33,744	678	33,659

- TABLE 9.2 -
LAND IN FARMS WITH SALES OF \$2,500 AND OVER, ACCORDING TO USE: 1969 AND 1974

	1969 **FARMS	ACRES	1974 **FARMS	ACRES
LAND IN FARMS WITH SALES OF \$2,500 AND OVER	646	1,491,379	678	1,543,676
TOTAL CROPLAND	630	738,230	655	711,050
HARVESTED CROPLAND	623	350,016	646	370,059
CROPLAND USED ONLY FOR PASTURE OR GRAZING	166	38,967	122	21,880
**OTHER CROPLAND	NA	349,247	519	319,111
TOTAL WOODLAND, INCLUDING WOODLAND PASTURE	56	9,698	56	11,996
OTHER LAND, INCLUDING OTHER PASTURELAND	NA	743,451	616	820,630

*ANY PLACE OPERATED UNDER THE CONTROL OF AN INDIVIDUAL MANAGEMENT ON WHICH SALES OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS AMOUNTED, OR NORMALLY WOULD AMOUNT, TO \$1,000 IN THE CENSUS YEAR

**NUMBER OF FARMS REPORTING THE ITEM

***LAND USED FOR SOIL IMPROVEMENT CROPS, LAND ON WHICH ALL CROPS FAILED, LAND IN CULTIVATED SUMMER FALLOW, AND IDLE CROPLAND

SOURCE: TABLE 9.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1974 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE, V.1, PT.26, MONTANA STATE AND COUNTY DATA
TABLE 9.2 IBID.



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- TABLE 9.3 -
IRRIGATION ON FARMS WITH SALES OF \$2,500 AND OVER: 1969 AND 1974

CENSUS YEAR	IRRIGATED FARMS AS PERCENT OF TOTAL FARMS	TOTAL ACRES IRRIGATED	CROPLAND ACRES IRRIGATED	IRRIGATION WATER ESTIMATED ACRE-FEET APPLIED	ACREAGE IRRIGATED BY SPRINKLER SYSTEMS
1969	26.0	35,094	34,512	46,719	NA
1974	22.6	35,381	34,801	43,431	610

- TABLE 9.4 -
FARMS WITH SALES OF \$2,500 AND OVER, BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION: 1969 AND 1974

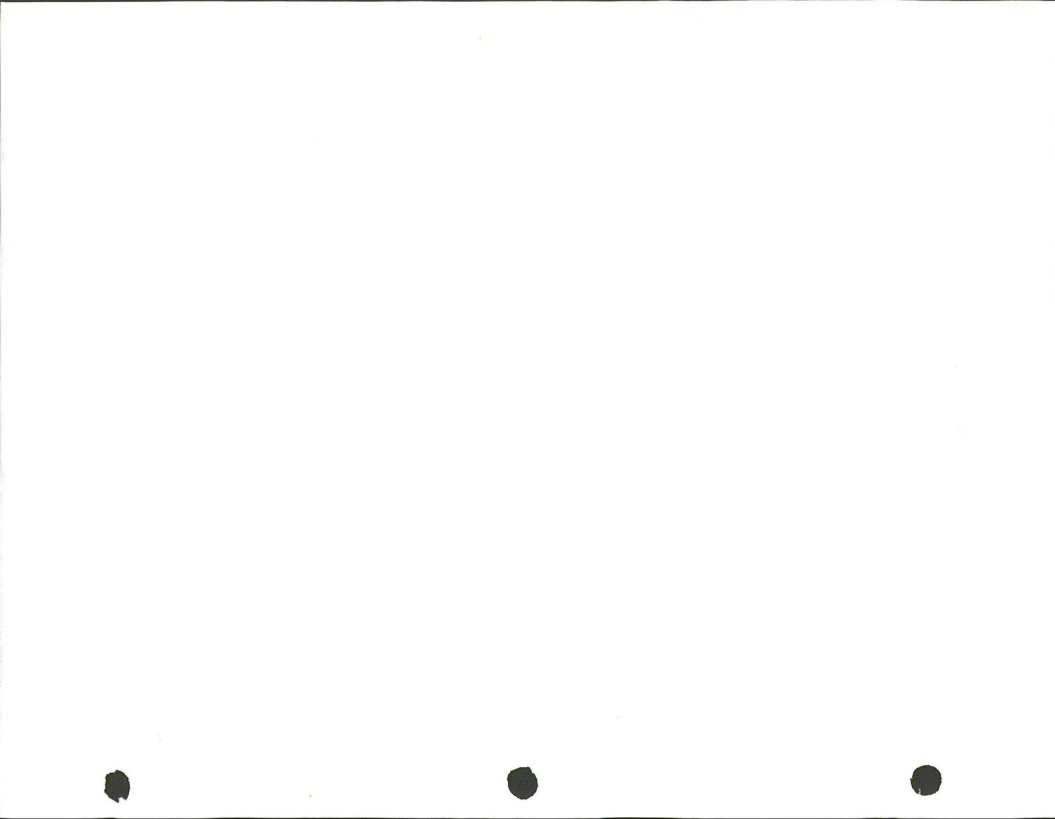
CENSUS YEAR	FARMS	INDIVIDUAL OR FAMILY OPERATION	PARTNERSHIP INCLUDING FAMILY PARTNERSHIP	CORPORATION INCLUDING FAMILY CORPORATION	*OTHER
1969	646	563	75	8	0
1974	678	590	58	26	4

- TABLE 9.5 -
FARMS WITH SALES OF \$2,500 AND OVER, BY TENURE OF FARM OPERATORS: 1969 AND 1974

CENSUS YEAR	FARMS	FULL OWNERS	PART OWNERS	TENANTS	PERCENT OF TENANCY
1969	646	229	369	48	7.4
1974	678	280	321	77	11.4

*COOPERATIVE, ESTATE OR TRUST, AND ABNORMAL FARMS WHICH INCLUDE INSTITUTIONAL FARMS, EXPERIMENTAL AND RESEARCH FARMS, AND INDIAN RESERVATIONS. DATA FOR ABNORMAL FARMS WERE EXCLUDED FROM DATA FOR FARMS WITH SALES OF \$2,500 AND OVER

SOURCE: TABLE 9.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1974 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE, V.1, PT.26, MONTANA STATE AND COUNTY DATA
TABLE 9.4 IBID.
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- TABLE 9.6 -
RANKING OF COUNTY IN THE STATE'S AGRICULTURE: 1975

ITEM	UNIT	COUNTY RANK
CASH RECEIPTS, NOT INCLUDING GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS		
TOTAL (DOLLARS)	35,650,300	7
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS	8,715,700	20
CROPS	26,934,600	5
LIVESTOCK NUMBERS		
ALL CATTLE AND CALVES (JAN. 1, 1976)	102,800	8
SHEEP (JAN. 1, 1976)	7,500	25
HOGS (DEC. 1, 1975)	5,100	6
CHICKENS (DEC. 1, 1975)	5,800	20
CROP PRODUCTION		
ALL WHEAT (BUSHELS)	6,500,300	7
WINTER WHEAT	728,600	26
SPRING WHEAT EXCEPT DURUM	5,678,300	2
BARLEY (BUSHELS)	1,094,400	16
OATS (BUSHELS)	542,800	5
ALL HAY (TONS)	83,100	23

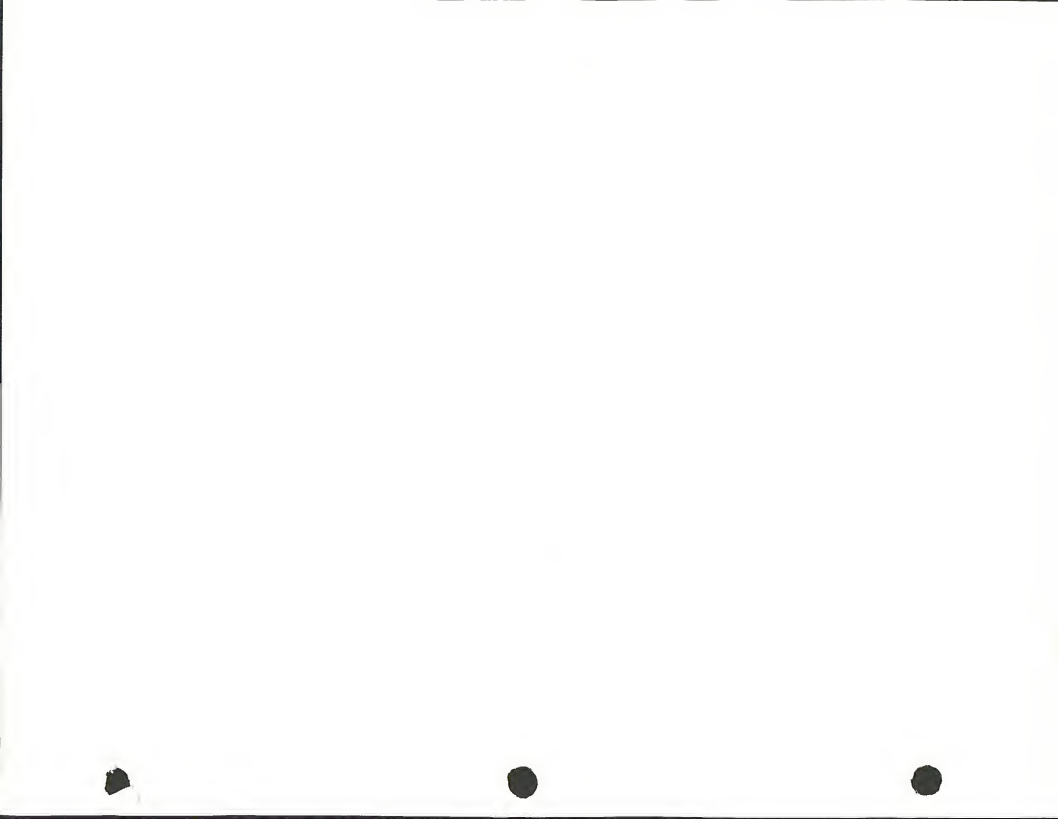
- TABLE 9.7 -
ASSESSED AND TAXABLE VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS: 1977

ITEM	ASSESSED VALUE	TAXABLE VALUE
AGRICULTURAL LAND (DOLLARS)	11,509,530	3,452,858
IRRIGATED LAND	1,215,673	364,702
NON-IRRIGATED LAND	7,348,332	2,204,499
GRAZING LAND	2,846,497	853,949
WILD HAY LAND	99,028	29,708
*CLASS 8 AGRICULTURAL LAND	0	0
**CLASS 5 AGRICULTURAL LAND	0	0
IMPROVEMENTS	5,756,280	1,726,884

*TRACT NOT EXCEEDING 5 ACRES OWNED AND OPERATED BY AGED WIDOWS, WIDOWERS, AND DISABLED WHO QUALIFY UNDER CERTAIN INCOME LIMITATIONS

**HOMESITE OF VETERAN WITH 100 PERCENT SERVICE-CONNECTED DISABILITY

SOURCE: TABLE 9.6 MONTANA AGRICULTURE, COUNTY STATISTICS, V. XVI, 1974 AND 1975, COMPILED BY MONTANA CROP AND LIVESTOCK REPORTING SERVICE, USDA AND MONTANA DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE
TABLE 9.7 MONTANA DEPT. OF REVENUE, (DATA UNPUBLISHED AS YET)



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- TABLE 10.1 -
RETAIL TRADE SUMMARY: 1972

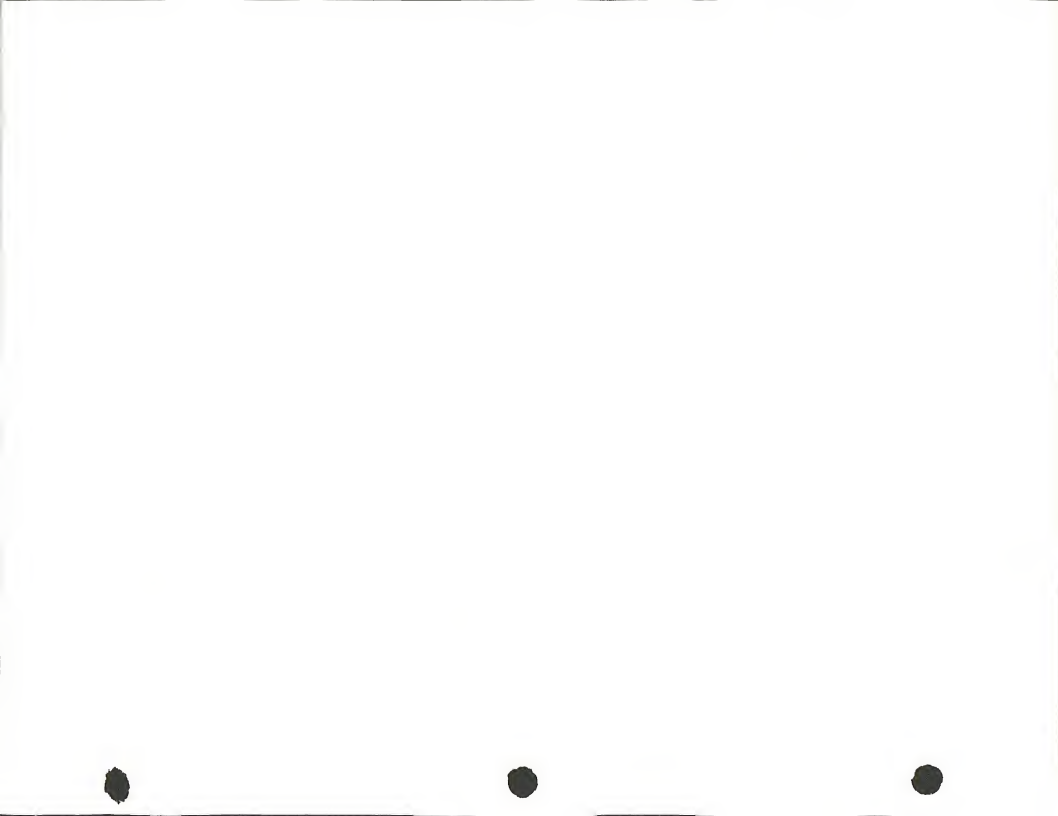
ALL ESTABLISHMENTS		ESTABLISHMENTS WITH PAYROLL			
NUMBER	SALES (\$1,000)	NUMBER	SALES (\$1,000)	PERCENT OF STATE SALES 1972	PAYROLL PAID EMPLOYEES, WEEK INCLUDING MARCH 12 ENTIRE YEAR (\$1,000)
158	23,980	113	23,401	1.5	586
					2,538

- TABLE 10.2 -
RETAIL TRADE ESTABLISHMENTS AND SALES, BY KIND OF BUSINESS: 1972

KIND OF BUSINESS	ALL ESTABLISHMENTS	
	NUMBER	SALES (\$1,000)
TOTAL	158	23,980
BUILDING MATERIALS, HARDWARE, GARDEN SUPPLY, AND MOBILE HOME DEALERS	14	2,987
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP STORES	6	(D)
FOOD STORES	17	5,133
AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS	10	5,092
GASOLINE SERVICE STATIONS	15	1,878
APPAREL AND ACCESSORY STORES	7	1,234
FURNITURE, HOME FURNISHINGS, AND EQUIPMENT STORES	6	749
EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	39	2,100
DRUG STORES AND PROPRIETARY STORES	5	1,614
MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL STORES	39	(D)

(D) WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSURE

SOURCE: TABLE 10.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF RETAIL TRADE, 1972: AREA SERIES, MONTANA, RC72-A-27
TABLE 10.2 IBID.



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- TABLE 10.3 -
WHOLESALE TRADE SUMMARY: 1972

MERCHANT WHOLESALERS SALES NUMBER (\$1,000)	*OTHER OPERATING TYPES SALES NUMBER (\$1,000)	INVENTORIES, END OF YEAR (\$1,000)	PAYROLL, ENTIRE YEAR (\$1,000)	PAID EMPLOYEES WEEK ENDING MARCH 12
30 (D)	7 (D)	2,419	1,258	186

- TABLE 10.4 -
SELECTED SERVICE INDUSTRIES SUMMARY: 1972

ALL ESTABLISHMENTS		ESTABLISHMENTS WITH PAYROLL			
NUMBER	RECEIPTS (\$1,000)	NUMBER	RECEIPTS (\$1,000)	PERCENT OF STATE RECEIPTS	PAYROLL PAID EMPLOYEES, WEEK ENDING MARCH 12 ENTIRE YEAR (\$1,000)
106	5,000	37	4,328	2.2	113 1,772

- TABLE 10.5 -
SELECTED SERVICE INDUSTRIES AND RECEIPTS BY KIND OF BUSINESS: 1972

SELECTED KIND-OF-BUSINESS GROUPS	ALL ESTABLISHMENTS	
	NUMBER	RECEIPTS (\$1,000)
TOTAL	106	5,000
HOTELS, MOTELS, TRAILERING PARKS, CAMPS	16	544
PERSONAL SERVICES	NA	NA
BUSINESS SERVICES	NA	NA
AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR, SERVICES, AND GARAGES	10	441
MISCELLANEOUS REPAIR SERVICES	14	193
AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION SERVICES, INCLUDING MOTION PICTURES	9	220
LEGAL SERVICES	8	355

*INCLUDES MANUFACTURERS' SALES BRANCHES AND SALES OFFICES, AND MERCHANDISE AGENTS AND BROKERS

SOURCE: TABLE 10.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF WHOLESALE TRADE, 1972: AREA SERIES, MONTANA, WC72-A-27
TABLE 10.4 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF SELECTED SERVICE INDUSTRIES, 1972: AREA SERIES, MONT., SC72-A-27
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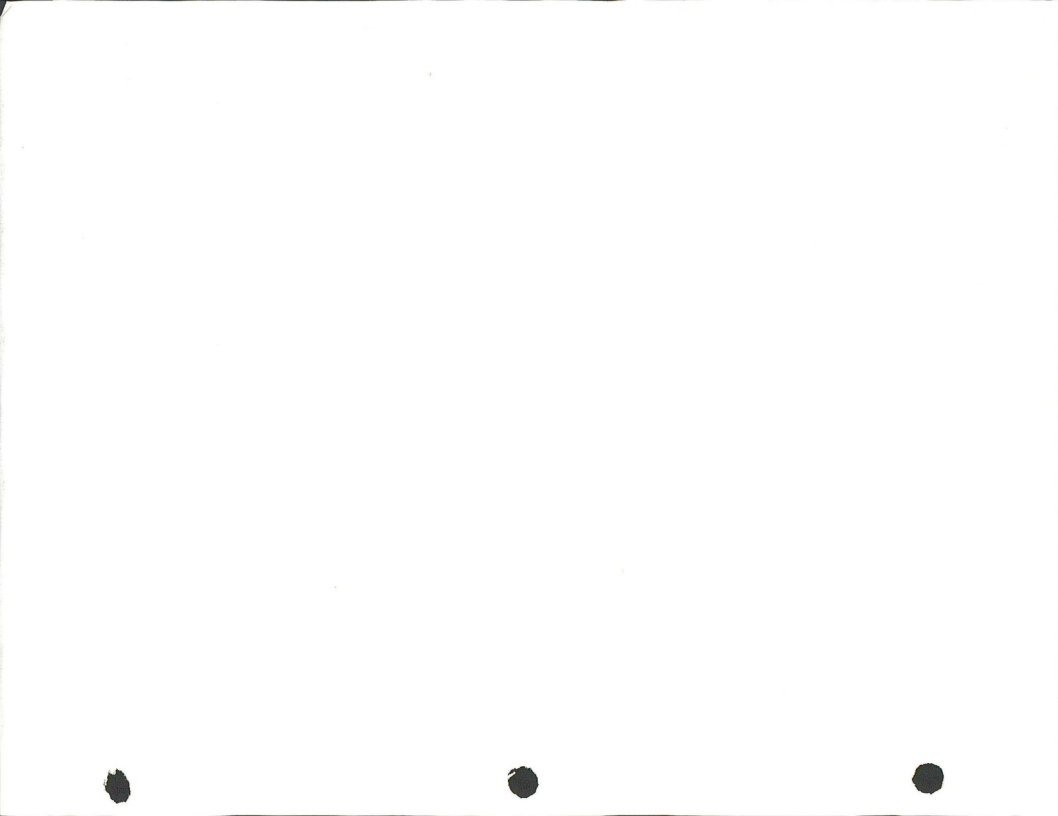
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- TABLE 10.6 -
EMPLOYEES, PAYROLL, AND ESTABLISHMENTS, BY SELECTED INDUSTRY GROUP: 1975

SELECTED INDUSTRY GROUP	*EMPLOYEES, WEEK INCLUDING MARCH 12	ANNUAL PAYROLL (\$1,000)	ESTABLISHMENTS, BY EMPLOYMENT-SIZE CLASS				
			TOTAL	1-4	5-19	20-99	100+
TOTAL	2,265	16,477	279	172	88	16	3
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES, FORESTRY, FISHERIES	(A)	(D)	1	1	0	0	0
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	89	1,210	27	18	9	0	0
GENERAL CONTRACTORS & OPERATIVE BUILDERS	(B)	(D)	9	6	3	0	0
SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	55	713	16	10	6	0	0
MANUFACTURING	149	844	6	1	4	0	1
FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	(A)	(D)	1	0	1	0	0
PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	(B)	(D)	2	0	2	0	0
TRANSPORTATION & OTHER PUBLIC UTILITIES	137	1,366	17	8	7	2	0
TRUCKING AND WAREHOUSING	(B)	(D)	8	5	3	0	0
COMMUNICATION	(B)	(D)	2	0	1	1	0
WHOLESALE TRADE	291	2,155	37	15	19	3	0
WHOLESALE TRADE-DURABLE GOODS	126	1,143	11	2	7	2	0
RETAIL TRADE	647	3,514	109	67	36	6	0
BUILDING MATERIALS & GARDEN SUPPLIES	58	528	13	7	6	0	0
GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORES	(B)	(D)	4	2	1	1	0
FOOD STORES	101	600	12	6	4	2	0
AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS & SERVICE STATIONS	137	1,011	23	14	8	1	0
APPAREL AND ACCESSORY STORES	39	181	6	1	5	0	0
EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	169	451	27	18	8	1	0
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	151	1,160	20	15	2	3	0
REAL ESTATE	38	188	4	3	0	1	0
SERVICES	778	6,125	53	38	11	2	2
HOTELS AND OTHER LODGING PLACES	22	62	7	6	1	0	0
PERSONAL SERVICES	17	45	4	3	1	0	0
BUSINESS SERVICES	(E)	(D)	4	2	1	0	1
AUTO REPAIR, SERVICES, AND GARAGES	22	193	5	3	2	0	0
AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION SERVICES	(A)	(D)	1	0	1	0	0
HEALTH SERVICES	207	1,525	10	6	2	1	1
NONCLASSIFIABLE ESTABLISHMENTS	(B)	(D)	9	9	0	0	0

*EXCLUDES GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES, RAILROAD EMPLOYEES, SELF-EMPLOYED PERSONS, FARM WORKERS, AND DOMESTIC SERVICE WORKERS
(D) FIGURES WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF OPERATIONS OF INDIVIDUAL ESTABLISHMENTS; OTHER ALPHABETICS INDICATE
EMPLOYMENT-SIZE CLASS: (A) 0-19, (B) 20-99, (C) 100-249, (E) 250-499, (F) 500-999, (G) 1,000-2,499, (H) 2,500-4,999

SOURCE: U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, COUNTY BUSINESS PATTERNS, 1975 (MAGNETIC TAPE)



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- TABLE 10.7 -
TOTAL ASSETS, AND LOAN-DEPOSIT RATIO OF INSURED COMMERCIAL BANKS: JUNE 30, 1977

NUMBER OF BANKS	TOTAL ASSETS (\$1,000)	TOTAL LOANS (\$1,000)	TOTAL DEPOSITS (\$1,000)	LOANS AS PERCENTAGE OF DEPOSITS
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3	76,140	45,570	67,811	67.2

SOURCE: BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM, REPORT OF CONDITION, AUTOMATED DATA SERIES, COMPUTER TAPE SUBSCRIPTION

